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JACOBUS JANSEN VAN ETTEN

Some Ten Generations in America of Jacobus ✓
Jansen Van Etten - Immigrant, from Etten,
North Brabant, Holland to Kingston, New
York About 1663.

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TO ALL PERSONS LIVING,
and
TO THE MEMORY OF THOSE DECEASED,

who have in any way contributed to make the name of
Van Etten respectable and respected, this volume is sincerely
inscribed by the author.

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The reputation of man is like his shadow: it sometimes precedes
him; it is sometimes longer and sometimes shorter than his natural
size.-French Proverb.

referred
Like leaves on trees the race of man is found;
Now green in youth, now withering to the ground.
Another race the following Spring supplies;
They fall successive, and successive rise.-Homer's Iliad.

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This work must go forth as done, while the story told is just
begun.

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book is number 39.

PREFACE

This book is the result of a desire which was awakened in the mind of the compiler and author by a distant cousin who interested her in the family history and created a desire to know more about all of her ancestors, more than could be learned from the immediate relatives. It constitutes research for over a period of twenty-five years and is as accurate as County Histories, Court, Bible and family records will permit. The sources of information are quoted in many instances. The compiler owes a debt of gratitude to Miss Annie P. Davis, long deceased, a descendant of John Van Etten, who in 1879 published a skeleton outline of John's family of Milton Township, Mahoning Co. Ohio, which gave an additional incentive and a nucleus for this book.

The difficulties which are met with in gathering material for a family history are great; only those who have experienced the thrill and joy in so doing realize that many letters remain unanswered, many records have been destroyed in the localities where the ancestor once lived, etc. However, one must draw a line somewhere, so the compiler has embodied all of the information that she has and separated it into generations so that it will more readily be understood. The results are far from complete but it gives a firm foundation for the future generations from which to work; it is the hope of the compiler that many will find inspiration and pride in their heritage.

It is regretful that more further detail has not been ascertained in many instances. Those who may regret the brevity of the sketches of their ancestry will please consider the facts necessary for a full and authentic history have been wanting. This is hoped to be an incentive for further research on their parts. Full credit is given those who contributed in any way what so ever to this work for without their assistance much of the information would be wanting. In an especial manner acknowledgement is given Mrs. Horace G. Walters of East Stroudsburg, Pa., also a descendant, genealogist, and Curator of the Monroe County Historical Society; Dr. Andrew O. English (retired) of Monrovia, Cal. an enthusiastic helper, also to those who have sent their respective lines.

If the study of genealogy were to be introduced in the public schools along with the study of history, the student would develop a much keener interest in history for when tied to a "Human Interest story" it is much more fascinating. Rupert Hughes once said "Few detective or mystery stories furnish more excitement than the tracing

of lost ancestors through the wilderness of the forgotten past. And the value and performance of the solution is beyond computing."

Edward Everett once wrote: "Let us gather up the traditions which still exist; let us show the world, that if we are not called upon to follow the example of our fathers, we are at least not insensible to the worth of their characters; not indifferent to the sacrifices and trials, by which they purchased our posterity." For "he only deserves to be remembered by posterity who treasures up and preserves the history of his ancestors."

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INTRODUCTORY

ETYMOLOGY OF THE SURNAME VAN ETTEN

JACOB JANSEN VAN ETTEN, 1663 - Otherwise Known as
Jacob Jansen De Lange.

Contributed by Dr. Irwin Hoch De Long, 523 West James Street, Lancaster, Pa. and published in the New York Genealogical and Biographical Record, vol. LIII, no. 1, p. 70, January, 1922.

"Jacob Jansen De Lang (so the name appears in Dingman Versteeg's transcription; in Oppenheim's, it appears as de lange) is mentioned in the old Dutch court records of Kingston, New York, which date from the year 1658 and after, which records are now in the office of the County Clerk of Ulster County, New York, as follows:

1. In an Ordinary Session of the court, held Tuesday, Sept. 18, 1663, he is sued for fine, but defaults. (The Dutch records of Kingston, by Samuel Oppenheim, in Proceedings of the New York State Historical Association, 1912, Vol. XI, page 72.) The name is here produced in this form: "Jacob Janse de lange."

2. In an Ordinary Session of the court, held Tuesday, Oct. 9, 1663, his case came up again, but he again defaults. The court allows him a third default. The name is here reproduced and printed as follows: Jacob Jansen de lange (the long)." The patronymic appears here in the fuller form and "de lange" is explained by the translator, whether correctly or incorrectly, as "the long," evidently regarding it as a nickname of the bearer and not as his inherited family surname. (Ibid., page 78.)

3. In an Extraordinary Session of the Court, held Tuesday, October 16, 1663, he is asked to testify in the case of a certain prisoner and he does so. The name is printed in this form: "Jacob Janse de lange (the long)." The patronymic is here in the shorter form, otherwise the name appears as under number 2 above. (Ibid., page 87.)

4. In an Ordinary Session of the Court, held Tuesday, October 23, 1663, his own case comes up again. He defaults again, the third time. The Court orders him to pay the fine and also to pay the costs. The name is here printed thus: "Jacob Jansen de lange (the long)," precisely as in number 2 above. (Ibid., page 92.)

5. In a Meeting of the Council of War and Commissaries, held Tuesday, October 30, 1663, there is demanded from him "a fine of seventy-five gldrs., pursuant to the judgement rendered by the Court on October 9 (see above under number 2), for violating the ordinance

dated August 4, in that he harvested without permission and a convoy. Defendant admits that he harvested without permission and a convoy, and says he does not intend to pay for doing so."

"The Council of War and Commissaries condemn defendant to pay the above fine to plaintiff (Roelof Swartwout, Schout), pursuant to the judgment rendered October 9; and, as he shows himself obstinate and unwilling, that he be placed in confinement until he shall have paid the full fine." The name is here printed thus: "Jacob Jansen de lange," that is without the translator's explanation in brackets after "de lange." (Ibid., page 98.)

6. On January 21, (1664), the following note was handed to the minister, Hermanus Blom:

"Rev. Mr. Hermanus Blom.

Whereas, on the evening of January 2, last, Paulus Cornelisen, Jacob Jansen, alias long Jacob, Cornelis Brantsen Vos, and Ariaen Huybertsen, came to an agreement with the Provisional Schout (Mattheus Capito) to pay for the violations committed by them, the sum of one hundred and seventy guilders, in seewan, of which eight guilders are for costs, leaving one hundred and sixty-two guilders, one-third whereof is due to the Church, your Reverence will also receive thereby two schepels of wheat, besides seven schepels of wheat of last week, making in all nine schepels of wheat, reckoned at six guilders per schepel, forwarded on account of the Church at Wildwyck (later known as Kingston), being the legal one-third of one hundred and sixty-two guilders. Done at Wildwyck, this 21st day of January, 1664.

(Signed) Mattheus Capito."

Here the name is printed thus: "Jacob Jansen, alias long Jacob." (Ibid., page 117.) Entries number 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 were made when Roelof Swartwout was Schout. The Schout's duty as officially defined included the keeping of the minutes or to act as secretary. (Ibid., page X.) In the entries named just now the name in question invariably appears as "Jacob Jansen de lange" or as Versteeg seems to have read the name "Jacob Jansen De Lange." Schout Swartwout would seem to have regarded "de Lange" as a family name. Whether in the original record, in the Dutch script, the "d" and the "l" are capitalized I do not know. In any case it would be very difficult to determine even with the original before one (see a photographic reproduction of the first page of these records in Oppenheim, opposite page XVI), whether in the script a "d" is to be regarded as a small "d" or a capital "d", due to the fact that the two are so written in the Dutch script that one can hardly tell which of the two is intended by the original writer. In the case of the "l" it should however be easier to determine whether the "l" is a small "l" or a capital "l". In case it

is a small "l" the writer may have intended to bring the two elements "de" and "lange" together, writing them like one word, especially if he regarded "de lange" as a family name, as he seems to have done. In the entries made by the Schouts succeeding Swartwout, Capito and Beeckman, "de lange" is regarded not as a proper name or family name but as a nickname or alias. Schout Beeckman however in one entry omits "de lange" and writes in its place "van Etten," as will appear below under number 9.

7. In the records of the Ordinary Session of the Court, held Tuesday, January 29, 1664, he is mentioned as a defendant, but it is recorded that he was absent. The name is printed thus: "Jacob Jansen, alias long Jacob." (Ibid., page 121.) In both these sessions, mentioned under number 6 and 7, Mattheus Capito was Provisional Schout, who presumably wrote the name, and this doubtless accounts for the fact that "de lange" is regarded as an alias, whether correctly or incorrectly.

8. In the records of the Ordinary Session of the Court, held Tuesday, October 7, 1664, appears the following: "Jan Tyssen, plaintiff, vs. Annetje Ariaens Tack, defendant. Plaintiff demands from defendant, for wages for two and one-half months, seventy guilders, heavy money, and thereupon has attached, at Thomas Chambers', as many schepels of wheat as long Jacob, the defendant's servant, has earned with the aforesaid Thomas Chambers."

"Defendant refers the matter to the estate, because the wages earned by the plaintiff were earned under her husband, and she maintains that the wages earned by her servant with Thomas Chambers are due to her."

"The Honorable Court decides that, as the wages of defendant's servant, earned with Thomas Chambers, were concealed, the same shall be transferred to the estate, and plaintiff shall stand on par with the other creditors after the sale of Aert Pietersen Tack's property." (Ibid., page 162.)

The Schout at this session of the court was Willem Beeckman, and Jacob Jansen De Lange is spoken of by him as "long Jacob," also as the servant of Annetje Ariaens Tack, the wife of Aert Pietersen Tack but who now is either a widow or is deserted by her husband, as is to be inferred from what is stated in this record: for if her husband was not dead or if he had not deserted his wife, why should the wages in question be transferred to the estate and settlement be postponed till after the sale of her husband's property?

9. In the record of the Ordinary Session of the Court, held Tuesday, October 21, 1664, appears the following: "Jacob Jansen van Etten, farm hand of Aert Pietersen Tack, requests that he also be paid out of the estate of Aert Pietersen Tack, according to account rendered." (Ibid., page 167.) The Schout at this session of the court was Willem Beeckman. The name in question appears as "Jacob Jansen van Etten,"

and the bearer is spoken of as a "farm hand of Aert Pietersen Tack"; the latter is clearly the same individual mentioned under number 8, and there can hardly be any doubt that "long Jacob," mentioned under the same number is any other than the Jacob Jansen Van Etten, mentioned here. If this is so, then Jacob Jansen van Etten is the same individual as "long Jacob," and also the same individual as Jacob Jansen De Lange.

In Wildwyck there were in those days different individuals, at least three, whose names were Jacob and whose father's name was Jan, that is there were at least three individuals living in Wildwyck at that time bearing the name Jacob Jansen. These individuals are, as they appear in the list of Names of Dutch Settlers in Esopus (Year book of the Holland Society of New York, 1897, pages 117-132), compiled by Dingman Versteeg from the original Dutch records of Wildwyck, the following:

1. "Jansen, Jacob, 1662. Also called De Lange, 1663, and Long Jacob." (Ibid., page 124.)

2. "Stol, Jacob Jansen, signed compact May 31, 1658; died 1663." (Ibid., page 128.) According to the Kingston Church records (ed. Hoes, page 499) the widow of a Jacob Janse Stol married Aart Martensen Doorn, Dec. 18, 1661. If we have to do here with one individual, then there must be some error in the date of death, as given by Versteeg.

3. "Stoutenburgh (variants: Stoutenborch; Stoutenburg. See Oppenheim, l.c.), Jacob Jansen, 1662. Marritie Hansen was mentioned as the wife of one Jacob Jansen in 1670." (Year book of the Holland Society of New York, 1897, page 128.)

4. "Van Etten, Jacob Jansen, 1664." (Ibid., page 130.)

Number 1 and number 4 are apparently the same individual as pointed out above, a fact which was not observed by Dingman Versteeg nor has it been observed by any one else hitherto, as far as known to me.

If now we turn to the Baptismal and Marriage Registers of the Old Dutch Church of Kingston, New York, 1660-1809, transcribed, edited and published by Roswell Randall Hoes, New York, 1891, we find the following interesting marriage record: "Jacob Jansen, j.m. of Etten, in Brabant, and Annetje Arians, of Amsterdam, deserted wife of Aert Pietersen Tack,¹ both resid. here (in Wiltwyck, now Kingston). First publication of Banns, 28 Dec. 1664; second, 4 Jan.; third, 11 Jan. 1665." (l.c., page 501.)

1. According to the same records, pages 1 and 3, on August 14, 1661, Aert Pietersen Tack and Annetje Adriansen (sic) had a son baptized, naming him Cornelis. In August (the day of the month is torn away), 1663, Aert Pietersen Tack and Grietjen Vooght had a daughter baptized, naming her Grietjen. The witnesses were Jacob Jansen and

That the Jacob Jansen, mentioned in the marriage record, is the same individual as the Jacob Jansen, mentioned in the foregoing court records, is clear. That "of Etten" is not meant to be understood as the family name "van Etten" is also clear, because the letters j.m. which are the initials of the Dutch words for "young man," precede it, while otherwise they would follow it, that is they would follow "of Etten." Note the "of Amsterdam" after the bride's name.

The words "young man" after the names of the grooms in these Dutch marriage records and the words "young daughter" after the names of the brides do not necessarily mean that the contracting parties were young, but that they had never before been married. These words are not written out in full, only the initials are written or printed. In the case of the first, the initials, in the Dutch, are j.m., while in the case of the second they are j.d.

If the Jacob Jansen in question brought an inherited family surname along with him from Holland to New York, it is more likely to have been De Lange than Van Etten, the latter would not be likely to become a family name so long as he still lived in Etten, Holland, though it would be likely to become such after he had come to New York and settled in the Hudson Valley. If then De Lange is his family name, it did not originate with him and of course likewise it did not originate in this country. Which of the two names, De Lange or Van Etten, maintained itself among his descendants in this country is not clear, though the following compilation of baptisms of his children would seem to betray a tendency in his own life time in favor of Van Etten:

BAPTISMS OF CHILDREN

Parents	Children	Sponsors or witnesses
1666, Jan.3, Jacob Jansen Annetjen Ariaens	Jan	Jan Cornelisse. Jan Tysse, Willempje Jacobs
1668, Mch.25, Jacob Jansen Annetie Adriaens	Sytie	Jan Broers and his wife

(footnote continued)

Barber Andries. These two records in connection with the above would seem to shed some light on the question as to what became of Aart Pietersen Tack, whose property was sold, apparently in his absence, and whose wife, Annetje Arians, is said, in the record of her marriage to Jacob Jansen, to have been deserted by him. Jacob Jansen, one of the witnesses at the second baptism, would seem to be none other than Jacob Jansen De Lange, - i.e. Jacob Jansen van Etten. For further information concerning Tack, see especially pages 156-7 in Oppenheim's translation of the court records, also the index under "Tack."

BAPTISMS OF CHILDREN (continued)

Parents	Children	Sponsors or witnesses
1670, June 26, Jacob Yansen Van Etten, Annetie Adriaens	Adriaen	(no witnesses named)
1679, April 21, Jacob Jansse Van Etten, Annetie Gelvins	Heiltie Bp'd "at Marbleton" (Marbletown)	Jacob Jansse Decker Gysbert Albertse Jannetie Craffers
1681, Dec. 29, Jacob Janz van Ette Annetie Adriaandr	Emanuel	Leendert Barentz Cool Maritie (surname not given)
1684, Feb. 24, Jacob Janse van Etten Annetie Adriaanz	Tietie	Nicholaus Antoni Engeltie Heyndrix
1686, May 2, Jacob van Etten Annetie Ariaans	Jacobus	Jan Rosa Hillegond Willemz
1688, Dec. 25, Jacob Jansen Van Etthe, Annetje Adriaentse Kam	Geesje	Barbara Metselaer Jannetie (surname not given)

This record does not seem to me to be complete. Normally it seems families were large in those days; about every two years a child was born. Between 1670 and 1679 there is room for two or three, but I find no records of baptisms. The variation in the wife's name is interesting; there is also some variation in the form of her patronymic. In every case in this compilation as throughout the article I have spelled the names as they appear in the records. The husband's patronymic varies likewise in form; his surname, wherever it is added, is always Van Etten (written however differently), and never De Lange. This latter fact would seem to indicate that there was a tendency in his own life time to adopt the name Van Etten as a family name, because it indicated the place from which he came to New York.

As to the ultimate origin of the family name De Lange and its variants - De Lang, Delanghe, Delangh, we may be sure that it arose as a nickname, given to the original bearer, whoever he may have been, because he was strikingly tall in stature. Just when and where it arose as a family name is difficult, perhaps impossible, to determine. It may well have come into being independently in different places and at different times or it may have come into being independently and simultaneously in different places. The name is however clearly Germanic. The earliest known occurrence of it as a family name is in the GOTTINGEN URKUNDENBUSH: Giseke under

Tyle de Langen, 1366. See Heintze-Cascorbi, *Die deutschen Familiennamen*, 4th ed., Halle, 1914, page 205. The "de" is of course nothing but the definite article of the Low German dialects, corresponding to the High German "der" and to the English "the," and has no connection at all with the French "de." From the original bearer or perhaps bearers the name passed on to the next generation and so on down to the later generations, and each subsequent bearer of the name was known as "de lange," whether or not he or she was strikingly tall in stature. The writer of this article, who bears this name in modified form, that is in a partially Anglicised form, would seem however to have a right to this name, not because he can prove descent² from Jacob Jansen De Lange who was the same individual as Jacob Jansen van Etten, for this he can not do, but because of his tallness in stature. He measures six feet and one and one-half inches.

VAN ETTEN: The surname Van Etten is believed to be from the name of Eaton or Eton. Eton is probably a contraction of East-on, or Eston "the east town," although the name may equally be from the old English ea "water" and "ton": "town near the water." The family names of Eaton and Van Etten may sometimes be of Norman-French origin from Aiton. Many family names are of local origin, derived from the names of towns, cities and landed estates.

The Dutch prefixes van, van der, and the French de did not refer to parentage and ancestry, but simply denoted the locality where the family originated. Thus - Van Etten "from Etten."

2. The writer traces his descent to Pyeter Delangh who lived in the Hudson Valley, New York, and later, some time between June 7, 1730 and June 27, 1738, went to Pennsylvania, where he died about 1760. His wife was Eva Elisabeth Weber, daughter of Jacob Weber of the Kocherthal colony. Just when they were married is not known; it is known however that in 1724 they were man and wife. Two deeds given by Pyeter Delangh in 1724, which are in Kingston, New York, are the documentary proof. Who was the father of Pyeter Delangh, the writer's great-great-great-grandfather, is not clear.

ABBREVIATIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

abt., about	Jr., Junior
adm., administrator	Lt.; Lieut., Lieutenant
ae., aged	m., married
b., born	nr., near
bp., baptised or baptism	p., preceding
Capt., Captain	Pa. Arch., Pennsylvania Archives
ch., Child or children	prob., probably, probate
Co., Company or County	q.v. (quod vide) which see
Col., Colonel or Colonial	? doubtful
d., died	Rec., records, recorded
dau., daughter	Reg., registered
d. inf., died in infancy	Reg't., regiment
d.y., died young	res., residence or resided
dec'd., deceased	Rev., Reverend
exr., executor	Rev. Sol., revolutionary soldier
f., father	s., son
gen., generation	sic., exactly reproduces the orig- inal
g.f., grand father	Soc., society
g.g.f., great grandfather	Sr., senior
g.s., grand son	Twp., township
hist., history or historical	unm., unmarried
ibid (ibidem), in the same place	vol., volume

COAT OF ARMS



In heraldic French, the official language of heraldry, the description thereof runs as follows:

“VAN ETTEN, (Brabant, Holland):

“d’Argent a trois tours d’azur.

“Cimier: Une tour d’azur.

“Devise: TECUM HABITA.

i.e.: “VAN ETTEN, (Brabant, Holland) (meaning these
two provinces of the Netherlands)

“In argent three castles, azure.

“Crest: A castle, azure.

“Motto: TECUM HABITA. (To dwell with you)

The style in which the work has been done is the ancient Burgundian style, because heraldry flourished mostly in the Netherlands under the Burgundian dynasty, and the Burgundian influence left its permanent mark on Netherland heraldry. This design is heraldically and technically correct in all its proportions and details.

ADRIANSE

Copied from "Hudson & Mohawk Valley's in New York" by Cuyler Reynolds, p. 425.

Many of the original Dutch settlers in this country were neglectful in the use of family or surnames, while others who had them frequently adopted the Christian name of their father as a surname, usually, but not invariably, adding to it either "sen, se, s, sz," or "z", all of which had the same meaning and signified son. This often resulted in descendants of a common ancestor bearing entirely different names.

This is the case in the present Adrianse and Ryerson families, and the Martense Arie or Arien Ryerse and Maerte Ryerse, the descendants of Maerte(Marten) Ryerse, who are now numerous and bear the name Ryerson. The descendants of Arie(Arien, Adrian) Ryerse added "se," and used Adrian as a surname which later became the present Adrianse.

Elbert and Marten Adrianse were sons of Adrien Reyerse, of Flatbush, who, with his brother Marten Reyerse, came from Amsterdam. The history of this family strikingly exhibits the early habit of changing names. Reyerse, itself no surname, but simply a patronymic, was retained by descendants of Marten Reyerse, who now bear the name of Ryerson. Of the two brothers, Elbert and Marten Adrianse, the first settled in Flushing, and his posterity there, in Dutchess county and elsewhere, compose the Adrianse family.

Marten Adrianse remained in Flatbush, married Sarah, a sister of the wife of his brother Elbert, and had sons: Adrian, Rem and Gerrit, who took the patronymic Martense, and were the progenitors of the present Martense family.

(1) Adrian Ryerse¹ probably emigrated in 1646, as he took the oath of Allegiance in 1687, and at that time stated that he had been in America forty-one years. He married ANNA, dau. of Martin SCHENCK.

(1. Children not listed - except Elbert b 1663 who m. Catalina Vanderbeeck his line is carried down.)

Chapter 1

THE VAN ETTEN FAMILY

The compiler is indebted to Mrs. H. G. Walters, curator of the Monroe Co. Historical Society at Stroudsburg, Pa. for the following history written by Lila Van Etten Huddy, Milford, Pa. 1925, a descendant of Solomon 6 and Hannah (Mettler) VanEtten. The original manuscript is in the possession of the Society.

"The scene of our family beginnings, in so far as they have been traced was in a small agricultural town of Etten, Holland, eight miles from Breda, a prominent City of Holland, and the scene of much conflict between the Spanish & Dutch. The little town of Etten was many times destroyed and is fairly new as to historical interest. It is in the province of Noord Brabant, the most southern of eleven Dutch provinces and entirely Flemish in its characteristics. I presume because Belgium was a part of the Netherlands until 1830.

"Etten is on the railroad running from Flushing to Germany, between the important towns of Rosendale & Breda, and thirty miles from Antwerp. It reminds me of Milford, Port Jervis being Breda, and Stroudsburg being Antwerp. The roads are of rough cobblestone, built there in Napoleon's time, and run for miles in a straight line, shaded by linden trees. There are many Monasteries and convents there, wonderful buildings proclaiming Catholicism; and many Monks and Nuns are seen every where. Breda is interesting to us because it was the scene of strategy by the Van Etten ancestors.

"Breda is strongly fortified in time of danger by submerging the surrounding marshes, making it impossible to reach the city except by water ways. It was besieged and taken back and forth several times during the wars of the Reformation between the Spanish and Dutch and once tradition has it, that our ancestors hid themselves in a barge of peat and thus gained admittance to the city; when the gates opened to admit their countrymen, they rushed in and captured the city.

"Valasquez, painter for the Spanish court in 1590, used this occasion for the subject of his famous picture 'The Surrender of Breda,' which hangs in the gallery at Madrid.

"The records of those days were in the churches only and our earliest history of the Van Etten family begins March 23, 1597, when Johannes Marinessen Adriense, the son of Marinus Adriense or Adriensen and Maria Hendricksen, was baptised.

"Our next records show Jacob Jensen, son of Johannes Marinessen and Wilhelmina Hoannes, was born 1632 and baptised October 22, 1634 at Etten, North Brahant, Holland; to this adventurous young man we must make our bow, for he came to America in 1658 or before.

"A composite portrait of the Van Etten's which we have, are tall, broad shouldered, blue eyes, auburn hair (sometimes red and curly). When Jacob Jansen was born in 1632 in Holland, Peter Minuet, the first governor of New Amsterdam had just built a fort on the present site of New York City and called it Nieu Amsterdam; now, when Jacob Jansen came to America and married Annatje Adriense, Peter Stuyvesant was Governor of New Amsterdam; in the same year, 1664, the dutch Nieu Amsterdam became the English New York; why Peter Stuyvesant's guilty surrender, no one knows. I have record that Annatje's father was a very wealthy man and was appointed to high office by Gov. Stuyvesant; he also was an elder in the Old Dutch church at Kingston, N.Y.

"Upon the arrival of Jacob Jansen on this continent, he settled at Esopus (now Kingston) on the Hudson and on January 4th 1664, he married Annatje Adriense. She also came from Holland and was a widow (note: EAS. see story of Divorce, etc.). The name Adrianse, as you will notice, is the same family as the ancestor who played the heroic part in the peat barge of which I have spoken. It is observed that Annetje and Jacob were probably distantly related. When the banns were published Jacob Jensen was described as a young man 'Von Etten' - in Brahant. As was common in those days he assumed the name of his birthplace-Von meaning 'from which' was later given as 'Van.' All the Van Etten's in this country are descended from Jacob Jensen-Von Etten."

The use of surnames or family names was to a great extent neglected in the early Dutch records. A patronymic was usually used without the family name.

The Van Etten family as printed in "Old Ulster" by Benjamin Meyer Brink. Vol. 2 (Jan. 1906) page 344.

One of the famous regions of Europe was known by the name of Brabant as far back as the days of Julius Caesar.

During the Middle Ages it was under the dominion of the Duke of Brabant. After the rise of the Dutch republic it became part of the kingdom of the Netherlands and so remained until 1830 when South Brabant was separated from North Brabant and given to Belgium. Brabant is now divided into three provinces, North Brabant belonging to the Netherlands, Antwerp belonging to Belgium and South Brabant belonging to the same kingdom. The inhabitants of North Brabant speak the Dutch language, those of Antwerp the Flemish and those of South Brabant, the Walloon French.

From the earliest settlement of the Esopus the name of Brabant was given to the lowlands along the Esopus Creek on its west side, opposite to and north of Kingston, New York. The name has almost disappeared from local usage; its last survival being in the corporate name of the road of Belgian bridge stone tracts which was called the "Brabant Plant Road."

After the death of Johan de Hulter, his widow in 1657 was granted a tract of one thousand acres of land which her husband had purchased from the Indians (N.Y.). This land lay on both sides of the Esopus creek and largely on the west or Brabant side of the stream. Among the earliest settlers was a man who was known as "Jan the Brabanter." He was an early owner of one of the lots in the stockaded village. He appears as a corporal at the time of what is known as the "Esopus Mutiny." He subscribed fifteen florins to the salary of Domini Blom in 1661 and about this time was in law with Aert Pietersen Tach. At the Indian massacre when the village of Wildwick and Nieuw Dorp (Hurley) were destroyed on June 7, 1663, Tach's house was burned and Tach disappeared. It is thought that he was killed by the savages. At least he was never heard from afterward. His creditors called for administration of his estate and among those who presented claims was Jacob Jansen of Etten. Etten was a village in North Brabant six miles from Breda, where in 1667 the famous treaty of Breda was signed, by which England acquired title to this province and New Netherlands became New York.

It cannot now be determined if Jan the Brabanter and Jacob Jansen of Etten were the same individual, but they seem to have been. In the court records, Jacob Jansen is called the "Head Farmer" of Tach. The claim was presented and allowed on October 21, 1664. It was for "338 guilders heavy money in wheat." But before the final settlement of the estate, Jacob Jansen had been prosecuting another claim and married the widow. (Old Ulster Oct. 7, 1911, Vol. X, part 3, page 207 is found the record of the divorce of Aert Pietersen Tach and Annetje Ariens. He seems to have had another wife in Holland. The court permitted Annetje a divorce and ordered him to come and take his punishment which he never did. Note: Hoes p. 1. Cornelius, son of Aert and Annetje Tach. Bp. 8/14/1661) Annetje seems to have been his first wife - also the first wife of Jacob Jansen Van Etten as he is shown by the marriage record to have been a batchelor at the time. (See Kingston marriages Vol. X, part 3, Colonial mms.) The record states "Jacob Jansen, a young man of Etten in Brabant, to Annetje Ariens of Amsterdam (Van Amsterdam) deserted wife of Tach."

A little later his name appears on a petition that a minister be sent to Kingston and is there signed "Jacob Johnson Van Etten." He was here as early in all probability as 1658. From the union of Jacob Jansen and the widow of Aert (Arthur) Petersen Tach has sprung

the widely distinguished Van Etten family. Jacob Jansen was one of those who signed the petition for the control of local affairs on January 26, 1684, mentioned in Old Ulster, Vol. II, pps 257-262, which so angered the Governor Thomas Donger that all the signers were arrested and fined.

1. JACOB JANSEN VAN ETTEN (1), b. in 1632, bp. Oct. 22, 1634, Etten, Holland; died abt 1693 at Hurley, N.Y. m. Jan. 11, 1665. The record states: "Jacob Janse, j.m. (young man) of Etten in Brabant and Annetje Arians of Amsterdam, deserted wife of Aaert Pietersen Tach, both resided here (in Wyltwyck). First publication of bans, 28th December, 1664; second publication of bans, January 4th and the third publication 11, Jan. 1665."

In the record of Annetje Arian's baptism of her children by Jacob Van Etten, the name is variously spelled Ariaans, Adriaens, Adriaander, Ariaans, Adriaense Kam and Gebrius, Gelvins. She was the dau. of Adrian (see line). When Jacob died the record states that he left a widow, five sons and four daughters; another record states that there were ten children.

Jacob was a petitioner for a minister to the church at Esopus, N.Y. in 1676. He took oath of Allegiance to England in 1689. Lived in Marbletown, the records show. His youngest child was born at Hurley in 1688 where Jacob is supposed to have been buried.

Schoonmaker, in his history of Kingston, 1888, p. 491, states that one of his grandchildren who was born in 1717 resided at Rhinebeck and became a large land holder. His son Aaron afterward exchanged his property at Rhinebeck for a tract in Ulster Co. situated in the neighborhood of Plattekill, then in the precinct of Kingston, now within the bounds of Saugerites. From Peter (no doubt Jacob's son) has descended that branch of the Van Etten family represented by residents of that name in Kingston.

Jacob Jansen first appears in the records as "Van Etten" in 1670 when Adrian was baptised.

The children of Jacob and Jannetje (Adrians) Van Etten were:

2. i. Jan (2) bp. record in Hoe's p. 5
3. ii. Sytje same p. 6
4. iii. Adrian same p. 7
5. iv. Pieter bp. abt 1675 not rec. in Hoe's
6. v. Petronella (Nollotie) supposed to have been twin to Peter
7. vi. Heiltje (Hail) at Marbletown, Hoe's p. 12
8. vii. Emanuel (Manuel) Hoe's p. 15
9. viii. Tietje same p. 21
10. ix. Jacobus Hoe's p. 26
11. x. Geesje (Gertrude). Hoe's p. 32.

Jan and Arian resided in Ulster Co. N.Y. and died there. Peter and Jacobus removed to Dutchess Co. N.Y. abt 1720/21. Emanuel moved to Warren Co. N.J. abt 1715. (See Bergen's Genealogies of So. N.Y. p. 258.)

See Ulster Co. N.Y. Wills, Vol. I and II. P. 75, Petronella; p. 66, 130, 132 Tietje and many other V.E's.

Chapter 2

SECOND GENERATION

2. JAN (2) VAN ETTEN, Jacob (1); b. Hurley, bp. at Marbletown, Jan. 3, 1666, eldest child of Jacob and Annetje (Adrianse) Van Etten. The date of his death was not found. m. 1690 or '92 Jannetje Roosa, b. abt 1670, dau. of Capt. Arie and Marie (Pels) Roosa and g.dau. of Aldert Heymanse Roosa (q.v.). Hoe's Kingston church records on p. 40, 43 states that Jan's second marriage record says that he is the widower of Jane Roosa. He m. 2nd. on June 22, 1731, Cornelia Van Aaken, widow of Jan Chammers.

Jan's name appears on a list of inhabitants of Ulster Co. in 1689 and also on a list of freeholders in Ulster Co., town of Hurley, 1728. He was an elder in the Kingston Dutch church.

We also find that he lived at Rochester, Ulster Co. He had a large family, mostly girls. The children of Jan, and their families nearly all settled in the Delaware Valley in N.J. or in Northampton Co. Pa. Children are listed in the Doc. Hist. of N.Y. Vol. 1, p. 286 and Olde Ulster.

12. i. Arien (Adrian) bp. Aug. 15, 1693 (see 3rd gen.)
13. ii. Aaltje bp. 1 Nov. 1694 died after 1755 (see 3ed gen.)
14. iii. Jacobus bp. 25 Dec. 1696, d. 1779, m. 22 Apr. 1719 Antjen Westbrook (Hoe's p. 48, 118)
15. iv. Martje (Marytien) bp. Hurley 8 Jan. 1699; m. 9 Oct. 1719 Cornelius Ennis (see 3rd gen.)
16. v. Annetje bp. 21 Sept. 1701 (see 3rd gen.)
17. vi. Arriantje bp. 7 Nov. 1703 (see 3rd gen.)
- vii. Rebecca bp. 17 Mar. 1706 m. 7 Nov. 1733 Hendrick Bont, b. Sept. 3, 1704. Their son Jacob Bont m. Grace Jansen, Claversack, Columbia Co. N.Y. and their g.s. Hendrick Bont b. Aug. 15, 1759.
18. viii. Rachel bp. 20 June 1708 m. 23 Dec. 1724 Richard Kittel. (see 3rd gen.)
19. ix. Lea bp. 29 Apr. 1711 m. 20 Apr. 1729 Thomas Keeter. (see 3rd gen.)
20. x. Catrina bp. 28 Aug. 1715 (Hoe's p. 111) m. Jan Alderse Roosa. (see 3rd gen.)

3. SYTIE (2) VAN ETTEN (Jacob (1)); bp. Mar. 25, 1668 m. Apr. 23, 1685 Jan Everts (in some instances the surname is given "Terwillinger.")* They lived in Marbletown.

Children all from Hoe's records: Surname EVERTS

- i. Everet bp. May 23, 1686
- ii. Jacobus bp. Nov. 25, 1688
- iii. Johannes bp. Nov. 5, 1692
- iv. Jannetje bp. June 9, 1695
- v. Mathews bp. Apr. 18, 1697 d.y.
- vi. Matheus bp. Oct. 30, 1698
- vii. Solomon bp. Sept. 1, 1700
- viii. Manuel bp. May 31, 1702
- ix. Pieter bp. Sept. 3, 1704
- x. Ary bp. Sept. 22, 1706
- xi. Abraham bp. Sept. 18, 1706
- xii. Isaac bp. June 10, 1716

Hoe's page 508, no. 79 (date of marriage not given) under year 1685. JAN EVERTZ, j.m. (young man), of Vianen, under the jurisdiction of the "Stigt Vtregt" (Diocese of Utrecht), and STIE JACOBZ van ETTEN, j.d. (young woman) of Kingstoumne, both resid. in Marmur (Marbletown). First publication of banns (probably, 23 April (Sic)).

Vianen - this district is in the eastern part of the Province of South Holland. Its principal city is Vianen, on the river Leck, 7 miles S.S.W. of the city of Utrecht.

4. ARIEN (2) VAN ETTEN, Jacob (1); bp. 26 June 1670, Kingston, N.Y. d. 1702/3; m. abt 1694 Catherine Crom of Warwarsing. They resided at Kingston. Catherine m. 2nd. 2nd Dec. 1703 Hendrick Cortreght. (Hoe's p. 520)

Children: Surname VAN ETTEN

- 21. i. Annetje bp. 6 Oct. 1695
- 22. ii. Jacobus bp. 17 July, 1698 twin to iii.
- iii. Rachel bp. 17 July 1698
- iv. Gysbert bp. 6 Oct. 1700
- 23. v. Arie bp. 5 Apr. 1702, m. Sytjen Kuykendall dau. of Leur and Gertje. Their son Arie was bp. 7 Dec. 1729.

5. PIETER (2) VAN ETTEN, Jacob (1); bp. abt 1675 (Not in Hoe's). residence Hurley and in 1730 in Rhinebeck, N.Y.; settled Dutchess Co. in 1720. m. 12 Oct. 1697 Eva de Hooges, (bans p. 513 Hoe's).

Children; all from Hoe's.

- i. Annetje bp. 28 Aug. 1698 m. Jan Oosterhout

- ii. Johannes de Hooges bp. 19 May, 1700; m. Rebecca Ostrander; their son Johannes de Hooges V.E. bp. 20 Feb. 1737, wit: Johan Kip and Margriet Van Etten. Their dau. Alida bp. 9 Dec. 1739 (Hoe's)
- iii. Jacobus bp. 30 Jan. 1704; m. Margaret Kool res. Cox-sackietown in 1790
- iv. Margarita bp. 2 Mar. 1707; m. Johannes Kip, wit: to her bp. were Willem Van Oostrander and Maritie de Hooges
- v. Katrina bp. 27 May 1711, wit: Manuel van et and Hanna de Hoge; m. Franz Kool
- vi. Benjamin bp. 4 Dec. 1715; m. Altje? Res. Oxford twp. Sussex Co. N.J.
- vii. Petrus bp. 24 Jan. 1720, res. Catskill town in 1790, m. Elizabeth Schriver.

6. PETRONELLA (2) VAN ET TEN, Jacob (1); bp. abt 1675; m. June 21, 1696 (bans published but not dated, Hoe's p. 512). Aldert Roosa, bp. 2 Mar. 1679 son of Heymans Alderse Roosa and Ann Margariet Rosavelt; b. Hurley. No children listed in Hoe's. Petronella was living in 1736 as she was a witness to a baptism.

Ref.: Ulster Co. Wills by Anjou. American records series A. Vol. 1, p. 175; Documentary hist. of N.Y. V. 3, p. 36 and V. 4, p. 30; Hist. of Kingston, p. 22, 28-29; New York Register 1000 pps. 163; Hist. of the State of N.Y. by Broadhead p. 690 and Register of the Netherlands by O'Callaghan pp. 71, 158

7. HEILTJE (2), (English, Hail) VAN ET TEN, Jacob (1); bp. 21 Apr. 1679 at Marbletown. Lived Kingston, m. Nov. 12, 1699 Willem Van Vredenburg of Kinderhook. bp. Dec. 1677

Children VREDENBURG - all from Hoe's records

- i. Willem bp. 30 June 1700
m. Catalyntje Kip
- ii. Annetje bp. 21 Dec. 1701 (see Van Gorden Line)
m. William Van Gorden - had son Jacobus b. 1730 who m. Cath. Kortrecht
- iii. Jacobus bp. 31 Oct. 1703
m. Clara Van Wagenen on June 18, 1726 at Kingston
- iv. Appolonia bp. Jan. 13, 1706 (from Coll. on Hist. of Albany)
m. Hendricksen Kip
- v. Aryaantie bp. 12 Jan. 1707
m. Sept. 26, 1736 Abraham Oosterhout at Rhinebeck
- vi. Aaron, bp. 1709 m. Sara Rosenkrans at Rhinebeck
- vii. Pieterella bp. 10 June 1711
m. June 2, 1735 David de Puytscher

- viii. Isaac bp. 11 Jan. 1713
m. Feb. 23, 1734 at Rhinebeck, Geesjen Pier
 - ix. Johannes bp. 10 Oct. 1714
m. July 8, 1736 Martje Oosterhout at Rhinebeck
 - x. Abraham bp. 23 Sept. 1716
m. Apr. 16, 1736 Catherine Pier
 - xi. Petrus bp. 11 May 1718
m. May 8, 1755 Lydia de Puytscher
 - xii. Benjamin bp. 13 Mar. 1720
m. May 3, 1740 Cath. de Graff (Kraff)
 - xiii. Matheus bp. 22 Apr. 1722
m. June 17, 1749 Margaret Westfall at Rhinebeck
8. EMANUEL (2) VAN ETTEN, Jacob (1); bp. 29 Dec. 1681. We find him in Marbletown as early as 1715 but from there he went to New Jersey. He was an elder of the North Branch Church (now Readington), in 1721. His descendants changed the name to Van Atta. Their baptism records are found at Kingston, N.Y. and at Readington, N.J. He m. 10 May, 1702 Antje de Hooges. (There is a will recorded in the N.J. Archives Vol. 33, p. 451, of an Ann Van Etten, June 4, 1763 which could have been this Ann's will.)
- i. Jacobus bp. 14 Feb. 1703 Kingston, prob. d. y. (Hoe's)
 - ii. Anna bp. 5 Jan. 1707 d.y. (Hoe's)
 - iii. Jacobus bp. 14 Mar. 1708; he moved to Readington with his father; m. Elizabeth---- and had (1) Samuel, bp. 10 Oct. 1731; (2) Margaret bp. 5 Aug. 1733 and (3) Samuel bp. 28 Mar. 1736. The witnesses to the bp. of this Samuel were Aldert and Pieterella (V.E.) Roosa (Hoe's p. 82)
 - iv. Johannes bp. 10 Nov. 1710 (Hoe's p. 90 Peter V.E. and Eva de Hooges, wit:) Prob. the father of Aaron of Warren Co. N.J.
 - v. Anna bp. 14 Dec. 1712 (the last ch. recorded in Hoe's)
 - vi. Arie bp. 1714/5 Readington; m. Elizabeth Chrisom. They had ch. bp. Readington; (1) Elizabeth 3 Aug. 1733; (2) Emanuel 25 Apr. 1737; (3) Samuel 29 Oct. 1738. In Arie's will dated 14 Dec. 1744, Somerset Co. N.J. and probated 29 Aug. 1746, he names children Samuel, Jacobus, John, Elizabeth and his bro. Jacobus. Calls himself "Yeoman" and has land in Morris Co. N.J. a Codicil added 29 Aug. 1746 states that a son called Arie was born after the signing of the will. Inventory 2 Apr. 1747 (Calendar of wills 1730-1750 Vol. 30 1st series, p. 497).
 - vii. Petrus bp. Somerville, 13 Oct. 1719. His will, dated 22 Feb., prob. 22 June, 1790, Oxford twp. Sussex Co. N.J.

- He names ch.: Samuel, Fronica, Peter, Ann wife of Jacob Keiser; Margaret, Benjamin, Hannah wife of Joseph Coplin and Mary, wife of Jacob Siglers. (see p. 163)
- viii. Samuel bp. 3 Mar. 1723 Readington. He took the name of Van Atta. Some of his descendants went to Ohio and some were in Hunterdon Co. N.J.
- ix. Benjamin bp. 19 May 1726 Readington. He had a son Thomas Van Atta who lived in Oxford Twp. Sussex Co. whose will was prob. 3 Jan. 1796 and he names his wife Altje and the following ch: Benjamin, Hannah wife of John Dongin; Ann, Bridget wife of Lawrence Lambertson and Lydia wife of Benjamin Decker. (from the Michael Shoemaker book, p. 280)
- x. Emanuel - found no proof of this son. Washington Ancestry, Vol. III, pp. 139-143, Van Etten and De Hooges of N.Y. and N.J. line of Arie³, Emanuel².

Orra Monette in his first settlers of Ye Plantations of Piscataway and Woodbridge, Olde East N.J. 1664-1714, p. 567. "Dutch first settlers of Somerset, at North and South Branch was Emanuel Van Etten." He also states that Michael Van Etten - perhaps did not settle in Pis. and Wood. but his name appears in the community 1664-1714. (Cannot place Michael EAS) Early Germans of N.J. by Chambers - also Van Attas of Hunterdon Co. Note: The father Arie (wife Elizabeth Chrisom) vi above, made his will on 15 Dec. 1744 and just a year before that date the child John was born on 15 Dec. 1743 and bp. Readington Dutch Reformed Ch. 1 Jan. 1744. This John m. Margaretha---- in 1766 and their dau. Catrina was born Nov. 8, 1767 and their second dau. was called Janetje. The father Arie lived in Somerset Co. near the line of Hunterdon Co.

John (1743) served in the revolutionary war as a private in Capt. John Maxwell's Co. 3rd Reg't, Hunterdon Co. Militia. He died after 1782. (Lulu Johnson McClain,) (Mrs. Edward Lee McClain), Greenfield, Ohio, DAR record. Also from Jessie T. Mains' "Arnold, Bagwell, Brynn and Van Etten Families of N.J." (a copy of which is to be found in the N.S.D.A.R. library.) N.J. men p. 794.

Notes and conjectures on the Emanuel Van Etten family by Elizabeth D. Walters and E.A.S. as most N.J. records were not available for proof.

The Van Attas of Warren Co. N.J.; Samuel Vanatta b abt 1785 resided at Scott's Mt. near Springtown, Warren Co. in 1803, and said to be the son of John of Harmony (but prob. the son of Aaron below), a soldier in the revolution who removed

to Ohio. Samuel bought 160 acres in Harmony twp. to which place he removed; he m. Polly Snyder; he died 1855 leaving 12 children, as mentioned in other articles.

Aaron (prob). son of Johannes, g. son of Emanuel, resided at Charlestown, near the junction; m. Elizabeth Wedge or Catherine Lunfar or both; had ch. (order uncertain), (1) John, a forrester, went to Ohio in 1806; (2) Stephen b. Jan 14, 1775, m. Feb. 1, 1801, Elizabeth Arnwine, b. Sept. 5, 1778 and d. July 11, 1863. Stephen's ch.: James b. Jan. 5, 1802 (d. 1846) m. Susan Moore, dau. of Andrew; Mehitable, b. Dec. 30, 1803, d. 1846, m. Ferd. Anthony; Abigail 1811-1811; Mary, b. Feb. 16, 1808, m. Peter Wirts, son of Harmon, d. Aug. 3, 1849; Jane, b. Feb. 16, 1810 m. Henry Creverling, son of William; Jushua b. July 4, 1812 m. ---- Deerwell?; George b. Dec. 14, 1814 m. ---- Robinson; Martha b. Mar. 24, 1817 res. Hackettstown, unm.; Henry b. Apr. 16, 1819 m. Melinda Titus, dau. of John; Ellen b. Sept. 19, 1821 m. Levi Gibbs; Jacob b. June 4, 1824 m. Julia Dickerson dau. of Aaron; and Amanda b. Sept. 14, 1826 unm.

Thus --- 1. Emanuel Van Atta m. Antje de Hooges in 1702
 2. Johannes (their son) bp. Nov. 10, 1710 - 2nd wife Jane, widow of James Morton.
 3. Aaron (3) b abt 1735 m. Elizabeth Wedge
 4. John (4) a forrester and went to Ohio - a rev. sol.
 5. Samuel (5) b abt 1785 m. Polly Snyder
 6. John (6) b 1801 on Aug. 18th

Snell's Hist. of Sussex and Warren Counties, N.J. p. 721 verifies most of the above.

The 12 children of Samuel and Polly (Snyder) Van Atta were: John b 1801; Henry, Nancy, Emily, Aaron, Moses, Sally, Elizabeth, Samuel, Silas who carried on the farming on his father's place in Harmony Twp.; Mary and Lucinda.

John, b 1801 in Harmony Twp. m. 1st 1826 Nancy, dau. of John and Susan Rosenbury of Mt. Bethel, Pa. Nancy was b. 1806 and d. 1874; he m. 2nd Mrs. Susan Morris Scott, his ch. by the first m. were: Sanuel, John R., Joseph, Moses, Lemuel, Mary Ann who m. Lemuel Gardner; Morris and Elias.

Hist. of Licking Co. Ohio by N.N. Hill, compiler A. A. Graham and Co. Publishers 1881

p. 786 NEWTON TOWNSHIP

VANATTA, Jesse S., deceased, was born in New Jersey, Huntington Co., April 7, 1807. Feb. 4, 1830 he m. Ellen

McDaniel, dau of Wm. and Ann McDaniel; she was b. N.J. Huntington Co., 2/15/1809. After their m. they remained in N.J. til 1840, then they migrated to Ohio, locating in Licking Co., Newton Twp, near Vanatta station, where he purchased a farm of two hundred acres. In connection with his farm he run a foundry in Vannatta until his death, June 29, 1852. His wife survived him and is in her 71st year. 7 ch: 4 sons and 3 daus. all living in 1881 except one.

p. 581 Vannataburgh is a manufacturing point which has been gradually growing into a village of artizans, who, with their families number a hundred or more. It has a foundry and a factory ----. The Vanattaburg Post office was the third and last one established. Messrs. Vanatta (from whom the town received its name), Boggs and S.R. Wilson have been postmasters. The population of the town in 1840 was 1,247 persons. (See Miscellanea)

9. TIETJE (2) VAN ETTEN, Jacob (1); bp. 24 Feb. 1684 Marbletown; m. 10 May, 1702 Evert Roosa of Hurley.
Ch: surname ROOSA; from bp. rec. of Hoe's
- i. Arie bp 31 Jan. 1703 m. 9 Feb. 1722 Geesjen Oostrander
 - ii. Marytie 8 Sept. 1706 m. 11 Nov. 1720 Jacob Oostrander
 - iii. Catharine 16 Sept. 1709, Hurley; m. 17 Jan. 1729 Luycus (3) DeWitt bp. 16 Sept. 1703 son of Luycas who m. Dec. 22, 1695 Anntje Dlva and g.s. of Tjerck Claessen DeWitt (1). Anjou's Ulster Co. wills p. 66.
 - iv. Jacobus 22 Apr. 1711 m. after Feb. 24, 1751 Cath. Znyders.
 - v. Zara 24 Apr. 1715 m. Dec. 10, 1748 Jan Louw
 - vi. Lea 2 Feb. 1718
 - vii. Rachel 29 Nov. 1719
 - viii. Abraham 5 Nov. 1721 m. after June 17, 1744 Elizabeth Rutz she was b. Rosendale and resided at the place where Johannes Hardenburg has lived.
 - ix. Aldert 26 Feb. 1727
 - x. Antje

Ulster Co. N.Y. prob. rec. we find the will of Evert Roosa, dated Mar. 5, 1727 (written in Dutch). He leaves to his wife Tietje Van Etten "Myn geheele vaste en anroende staet" (my entire estate for life). Mentions his son Jacob and said three sons, Jacobus, Abraham and Aldert.

10. JACOBUS (2) VAN ETTEN, Jacob (1); bp. 2 May 1686; d. 31 Dec. 1759 bur. Rhinebeck. Set. Dutchess Co. abt 1720.
m. 1710 Rebecca Roosa (1695-1767)

Ch: from Hoe's. All bp. Kingston except Rachel.

- i. Anna, 7 Jan. 1711; wit: Pieter Van Etten and Eva de Hooges. She m. Gysbert Westfall.
 - ii. Jan, 29 Mar. 1713; wit: Jan Rosa and Hillegont Boree. m. Rachel Westfall. ch: (N. Y. Gen. & Biog. record V. ? p. 126, Symon, Matthias, Nelly w. of Henry David; Annatie, w. of Elias Balz; Rachel, w. of Joseph Traves & Jacobus, b. Aug. 13, 1736 at Rhinebeck Flats, N.Y. who m. 6-12-1760 at Kingston, Elizabeth Osterhout and their ch. were: Petrus Van Etten b. Rochester 4-9-1769 and Benjamin b. 1772, Rochester - he was twice m. 1st wife unknown, 2nd Elizabeth ---, Petrus m. and had a son David b. 1796 New Salem.
 - iii. Hillegond, bp. 4 Dec. 1715 m. Jan Mores (Maris). bp. wit. were Jan Chrispel and Geertjen Roos.
 - iv. Lea 20 Oct. 1717 m. Aarant Traphagen.
 - v. Jacobus, 12 June 1720 m. 1st Margaretha Kool (Smith, p. 200); m. 2nd Lea Van Vredenburg.
 - vi. Matheus, 6 May 1722 d. 1808 m. 1742 Neeltje Van Wagenen (1716-1798) dau. of Barent V.W.; their son Barent (1761-1833) m. 1782 Sarah Froelich (1766-1845) and had a dau. Margaret (1800-1883) who m. 1817 Asa Sherman and they in turn had a dau. born to them who was called Sabra Van Etten Sherman.
 - vii. Abraham 11 Oct. 1724 m. Sarah Van Steenburg. (note: there is a rec. of an Abraham marrying Jannetje DeWitt and had a dau. Blandina b. Oct. 23, 1743; Sarah b. Apr. 23, 1744 and Lydia b. May 10, 1747. This Abraham could have been twice married or this rec. could have been for another Abraham.)
 - viii. Isaac, 12 Mar. 1727 m. Heiltje Van Bredenburg
 - ix. Benjamin, 8 Feb. 1730 m. Rachel Kip
 - x. Rachel bp. Rhinebeck, 1 Aug. 1731, m. Andries Hermance
- Of the families of Jacobus and his brother Peter, some remained in Dutchess Co., but the larger part of them located at or near Albany and some went to Canada. Note: E.M. Smith's Hist. of Rhinebeck, N.Y. p. 200 we find "Margaretha who m, Johannes Kip and Cathrina who m. Frans Kool" are credited to Jacobus but there is no record as to their births so far found. The compiler believes that the brother Peter had the two daughters so named.

11. GEESJEN² VAN ETTEN, Jacob¹; bp. 25 Dec. 1688 m. 25 Nov. 1704 Jacob Decker Jr. of Marbletown. Ch: from Hoe's.
Surname DECKER

- i. Jacob, 17 Nov. 1706

- ii. Beelitje 20 June 1708
- iii. Antje 7 May 1710
- iv. Pieterella 6 July 1712
- v. Abraham 29 Aug. 1714

Chapter 3

THIRD GENERATION

12. ARIEN (Adrian or Aaron) (3) VAN ETTEN, Jan (2), Jacob (1); bp. Aug. 15, 1693 b. Knightsfield, res. Marbletown. Witnesses: Arie Roos and Maria Pels. (Hoe's.) The lineage of the Van Etten family in Olde Ulster of Feb. 1907 gives this Aaron as marrying May 19, 1729 Sytjen Kuykendall. That would place him at the age of thirty-six when he married. (Perhaps a second wife) The list of children fits the dates but the compiler believes that it was Arie (3), Arien (2) Jacob (1) who married the above and this list of children belongs to them. (See no. 23) Sytjen was born Minisink, daughter of Leur and Gertje Kuykendall. Her husband Arie died about 1745 and on Aug. 6, 1747 the widow, whose residence was Walkill, married Cornelius Kool, the widower of Madaleen Decker. (See no. 23.)

Children of Arie and Sytjen: from Hoe's.

- i. Ary bp. Dec. 7, 1729 wit: Hemy Roosa, Geertjen Roosa.
- ii. Catrina Oct. 21, 1733 wit: Lammert Kool, Catelyntjen van Deusen.
- iii. Elizabeth Apr. 26, 1736 wit: Gysbert Roosa, Elisabeth Roosa.
- iv. Annatjen July 4, 1742 at Kingston. wit: Mattheus Nieu-kirk, Annaatjen Kool.

If there is a will for these Aaron's - there perhaps is the proof.

Sytjen is sometimes given as Zytjen van Kuykendall. The marriage record in Hoe's - "Ary Van Etten, j.m. of Neysviel (Knightsfield) (in the twp of Rochester) and SYTJEN KUYKENDAAL, j.d. born in Menissing (Minisink), the bridegroom resid. under the jurisdiction of Mormel (Marbletown) and the bride under the jurisdiction of Kingstown. Banns reg. 20 Apr." And in 1747 Banns registered by Domine Vas. "CORNELIUS KOOL widower of Madaleen Dekker, born in Savengonk (Shawangunk), and Sytjen Kuykendaal, widow of Ary Van Etten, born in Menissing, and both resid. at Waale-Kil (Walkill), etc." (Parenthesis by author) See Miscellanea p. 172.

13. AALTJEN (3) VAN ETEN, Jan. 2, Jacob (1); bp. Nov. 11, 1694 m. Apr. 30, 1714 Anthony Westbrook of Kingston; bp. Apr. 17, 1691

Children from Hoe's. Surname WESTBROOK

- i. Johannes bp. 24 Feb. 1717
 - ii. Jannetjen 10 Jan. 1720, Rochester
 - iii. Jacob 1 July 1722
 - iv. Lena 15 Oct. 1727
 - v. Gideon 4 July 1733, Minisink
 - vi. Antonie 19 May 1736, Minisink
- See Anjou Wills Vol. 11 p. 113.

Anthony Westbrook was a Judge and an elder in the Dutch Church and a large landowner. Aeltje was received into the Minisink Church 20 Dec. 1745. They resided in Ulster Co. until about 1730 then removed to the present town of Montague, Sussex Co. N.J.; they had descendants living in Port Jervis. Ref: Minisink Ch Rec. p. 282; American Compendium Vol. 6 p. 164. Hoe's p. 43 and Monnette's First Settlers on Ye Plantations of Piscataway and Woodbridge Co. N.J. Vol. 6, p. 1235.

14. JACOBUS (Jacob or James) (3), Jan (2), Jacob (1); bp. Hurley, Ulster Co. N.Y. Dec. 25, 1696 (Hoe's p. 48 no. 936) res. Rochester Ulster Co. N.Y. Witnesses: Ari Roos and Mary Pels; died 1779 Namenock, N.J. m. April 22, 1719 ANNA WESTBROOK, dau. of farmer Johannes Sr. and Magdalena (Decker) of (Warwarsing) near Kingston. bp. July 28, 1700 (Hoe's p. 59 no. 1184) wit: Gerrit Wyncoop and Cathlyntje Oosterhout. She died Hurley in 1783. D.A.R. national no. 127840 states that Jacobus also died in Ulster Co. N.Y. Jacobus was a freeholder in the town of Hurley (now Kingston) in 1728 and an active member of a "Foot" company of militia of the corporation of Kingston, under command of Capt. Tjrck DeWitt in 1738/9. In Ulster Co. census of slaves he is listed on April 2, 1755 as being the master of a "negro wens Feb 18 jers old." American Ancestry, Vol. 6 pps. 168-171 "Jacob Van Etten lived in Namenock, N.J. purchased land in Morris Co. N.J. in 1745 opposite the Namenock Islands in the Delaware Valley on the Jersey side in the Miniskin district, farmer, and though quite aged at the time of the revolution, he entered heartily into the principles of the Colonial army, in which several of his sons served. New York Biog. and Gen. record Vol. 30 p. 52"; was one of the freemen Freeholders and Inhabitants of the town of Kingston, Ulster Co. in 1775, he signed the articles of "General

association opposing the execution of the several arbitrary and oppressive acts of the British parliament." He led the county in taking bonds and giving all he had for the support of the war.

In 1745 William Allen, merchant of Philadelphia, conveyed a tract of land in Delaware township, opposite the Namenock Islands in the Delaware river, to Jacob Van Etten of the county of Morris in the eastern province of N.J. Through four generations the title and possession has remained with the members of the family. Three great great grand daughters of Jacob now hold it and reside within a stones throw of the house of the first one of the name who settled in the county. This was Johannes Van Etten, son of Jacob, who was born in Namenock, N.J. about 1730 and upon his marriage he probably located in Pennsylvania.

(Schoonmaker's Kingston p. 519; Hist of Wayne, Pike and Manroe Co's, Pa. p. 908 and Mathew's Hist.)

Children of Jacobus and Annetje:

24. i. Jan (John) (4) bp. Apr. 17, 1720 (Hoe's p. 130), the eldest son, at Knightsfield patent, Warwarsing, Ulster Co. (p. 58 Vol. 3 Olde Ulster) m. Mar. 26, 1738 Maritje Westfael and 2nd Margaret Lefevre.
25. ii. Helena (or Magdalena) bp. 24 Dec. 1721 (Hoe's p. 138) m. Rev. Johannes Casparus Fryenmuth.
26. iii. Cornelius b. 1723, bp. Jan. 19, 1724 (Hoe's p. 149) m. Heltje Westbrook.
27. iv. Anthony bp. June 12, 1726 Ulster Co. m. Hannah Decker.
v. Jennetjen (Jane) bp. 11 Apr. or the 20th, 1728/9. m. Emanuel Gonsalus (see Minisink Ch. Rec.-ch. not rec. in Hoe's)
29. vi. Johannes bp. 1731/2 Namanock N.J. m. 1st Maria Gonsalus; 2nd, Rachel (Williams) Decker
30. vii. Sarah bp. 19 May, 1736 at Minisink m. Jacobus Van Sickle (not in Min. Records)
31. viii. Dirk (Richard) bp. 29 May 1739 Namanock N. J. (p. 100 Minisink Rec. Port Jervis)

15. MARY (3) VAN ETTEN, Jan (2), Jacob (1); bp. Hurley 8 Jan. 1699 m. 1st 9 Oct. 1719 Cornelius Ennis (Hoe's 55,554); the widow Mary m. 21 Apr. 1728 Johannes Bosch (Bush) of Marbletown - bans reg. Apr. 21.

Ch: from Hoe's. Surname ENNIS AND BOSCH

- i. Wiljen 31 July 1720 (prob. g.f. of Benj. of Pike Co. Pa. EDW).

- ii. Jannetjen 8 Apr. 1722 wit: Jan Van Etten and Jannetjen Roosa
 - iii. Jan 31 May 1724
 - iv. Cornelius 8 Apr. 1726
- By second husband BOSCH (Bush)
- v. Benjamin bp. 29 June 1729 d.y.
 - vi. Benjamin bp. 29 July 1733
 - vii. Jan bp. 29 Aug. 1736 (prob. m. Sarah Richards) (1738-1822) of Smithfield, Pa. Rev. Sol. and Fr. and Indian war - died Danby N.Y. 1819 at the home of his son Richard. Had 11 ch. E.D.W.)
 - viii. Jannetjen 5 Nov. 1738
 - ix. Jacobus 26 Oct. 1740-? Eva Brink
 - x. Nathaniel 12 Dec. 1742

Mary and Johannes Bush were in Lower Smithfield in 1746. Mrs. Ernest Allen Ross, 504 N. Court St., Howell, Mich. is a descendant of the above Jan's son Richard. DAR Member.

Note: The Chipp family genealogy on p. 87 states that Margriet Van Etten of Kingston, whose mother was a Roosa, m. Johannes Kip of Jacob, b. 1702, they had a dau. Elizabeth wife of Joseph Chipp. She m. 1st Cornelius Ennis. Hoe's records prove the above as stated by the compiler.

16. ANNETJE (3) VAN ETTEN, Jan (2), Jacob (1); bp. 21 Sept. 1701 m. Nov. 20, 1724 Broer Decker bp. 1 June, 1701 Kingston, Ulster Co. N.Y. (son of Jacob Jansen Decker and 1st wife Beltie Kortright). He died in 1777 in Del. Twp. Pike Co. Pa. Broer was an elder in the Walpack, N.J. Dutch Ref. Ch. in Apr. 25, 1752; he purchased land, 100 acres, in Del. Twp. Pike Co. Pa. from William Allen in June 16, 1768; on Aug. 16, 1768 he sold 43 acres to his son Hendrikus Decker; Broer Decker was a farmer in Del. Twp. Northampton Co. Pa. (Now Pike); his sons Elisha, Elias, Cornelius served in the Rev. war in Capt. Johannes Van Etten Sr.'s Co.; he m. 2nd Moratie (Mary)----- who survived him and is mentioned in his will (see file no. 780 p. 146 Wills of Northampton Co. Pa. at Easton). Annetje must have died about 1747 or 48 as the children were all by first marriage: DECKER

- i. Lea bp. Sept. 19, 1725 Kingston, d. bef. 1777 m. John Williams their dau. Rachel bp. July 23, 1748 m. 1st Daniel Decker, 2nd Capt. Johannes Van Etten Sr. Rachel d. May 2, 1812 in her 66th yr.
- ii. Rachel, twin bp. Sept. 19, 1725
- iii. Hendrikus bp. Feb. 4, 1728 m. Hannah Carmer (Kermer)
- iv. Jennetjen (Yontie) bp. Jan. 28, 1733 m. Jacobus Westfael

v. Johannes bp. Mar. 26, 1735, Minisink N.J., m. Johanna Van Tillburg

vi. Ezekiel, (twin) Mar. 26, 1735 " " " Maria Van Tillburg

vii. Magdalena bp. May 3, 1737 " " " Laurance Decker

32. viii. Elisa (Elisha) bp. May 29, 1739 " " " Eva Dingman, see 4th Gen.

ix. Elias bp. Mar. 21, 1742, d.y.

x. Cornelius bp. Jan. 26, 1745 m. 1st Sarah Van Tillburg, (2) Charity----- bur. Tioga Co. N.Y.

xi. Elias bp. July 5, 1747 m. Jenneke (Yonche) Decker, dau. of Benj.

xii. Jacob bp. Apr. 19, 1747 m. Martje Van Tillburg

17. ADRIANNA (3) VAN ETTEN, bp. Nov. 7, 1703
m. Arthur Middaugh (Hoe's p. 70)

Minisink Rec., Children: MIDDAUGH

i. Gideon 1 Jan. 1746 wit: Solomon and Lena Westbrook

ii. Martynus 5 July 1747

iii. Rachel 12 Aug. 1749

18. RACHEL (3) VAN ETTEN, Jan. (2) Jacob (1); bp. June 20, 1708
m. 23 Dec. 1724 Richard Kettel

Ch. from Hoe's: surname KETTEL

i. Elizabeth bp. June 27, 1725

ii. Jeremias June 11, 1727

iii. Jan Mar. 16, 1729

iv. Abraham Feb. 6, 1732, Rochester

(on page 141 Minisink rec. is listed Abraham Kettel and Christina Westfall - a son bp. Richard Mar. 20, 1761 with Richard and Rachel Kettel as witnesses. No doubt this Abraham)

v. Catharine Feb. 10, 1734 m. Peter Kuykendahl
(a son Johannes Jr. bp. Oct. 21, 1753 m. Maria Westbrook)

vi. Zesanna June 4, 1738 bp. by Dominie Vas

vii. Maria June 15, 1740 " " " "

viii. Johanna June 24, 1750 wit: Johannes and Maria (Gonsalus) Van Etten.

19. LEA (3) VAN ETTEN, Jan (2) Jacob (1); bp. April 29, 1711
m. 20 Apr., 1729 Thomas Keeter b. 1702, Sergt. Mil. 1738 and
asso. test signer 1775. (Hoe's p. 94)

Children from Hoe's. Surname KEETOR (KEATOR)

i. Cornelius 22 Mar. 1730 Wit: Harmus Sammers and
Zusanna Kittel

- ii. Jannetjen 12 Mar. 1732 Wit: Joh. Van Valkenburg and Judith Wynkoop
- iii. Elizabeth 25 Dec. 1734 " Jacob Keetr and Elisabeth Louw
- iv. Jan 24 Apr. 1737 Wit: Jan Van Deusen and Hillegond Roosa
- v. Leah, Rachel 14 Oct. 1739 Wit. Joh. Kool, Lea Roosa, Melgert Keeter, Debora Kinny
- vi. Jacob 25 Dec. 1741 Wit: Jacob Van Etten and Antje Westbrook
- vii. Petrus (4) 5 May, 1745 Wit. Joh. Suyland, Eva Van Vegten (Mr. Alfred Decker Keator (9) director of the State Library and Museum, Dept. of Public Instruction, Harrisburg, Pa. is a desc. of Lea and Thomas Keeter as follows: Thomas O. (8), Simon (7), Thomas G (6) Moses (5) Petrus (4) above, and Thomas (3) and wife Lea Van Etten.)

- 20. CATRINA (3) bp. 28 Aug. 1715. m. Jan Alderse Roosa (her birth is found in Hoe's). She was received into the Minisink Church Oct. 19, 1748.
- 33. i. Maria bp. 24 Mar. 1749 wit: Isak Roosa and Marya Roosa m. John Rosenkrans (see 4th gen.)
- ii. Rebecca bp. 30 Dec. 1750 wit: Anthony Westbrook and Aeltje Van Etten, his wife
- iii. Isaak bp. 1 Oct. 1752 wit: Isaak Van Aken and Rachel DeWitt, his wife
- iv. Jacob bp. 12 May, 1754 wit: Jacob Van Etten and Antje Westbrook, his wife
- 21. ANNETJE (3) VAN ETTEN, Arien (2) Jacob (1); bp. Oct. 6, 1695 m. 1717 Jan Theunisz Oosterhout - bans pub. 28 Apr.
Children: surname OOSTERHOUT (Hoe's)
 - i. Eva bp. Aug. 31, 1718
 - ii. Theunis Feb. 2, 1721
 - iii. Anna May 23, 1723
 - iv. Benjamin Aug. 27, 1727 bp. Rochester
- 22. JACOBUS (3) VAN ETTEN, Arian (2), Jacob (1); bp. 17 July, 1698. m. 27 Nov. 1719 Catrina Kool (Cole)
Ch: KOOL
 - 34. i. Ary bp. 14 Aug. 1720 m. Christina DeWitt
 - ii. Johannes bp. 26 Dec. 1721
 - iii. Gysbert bp. 1 Dec. 1723
 - iv. Ariaantje bp. 24 July, 1726
 - v. Catrina bp. 5 Jan. 1729
 - vi. Maria bp. 4 Aug. 1734

vii. Albert Roos bp. 17, Oct. 1736

viii. Elizabeth bp. 30 May, 1742

Catrina Kool Van Etten m. 2nd 20 Sept. 1749 William (3), Jan (2), Jacob (1), Burbans, as his 2nd wife. (Anjou wills Vol. 1, p. 182)

23. ARIE (3) VAN ETTEN, Arien (2), Jacob (1); bp. 5 Apr. 1702
wit: were Hendricus and Catherine Beekman
m. 9 May, 1729 Sytjen Kuykendall, b. Minisink, dau. of Leur
and Gertje. Arie d. abt 1745 and on Aug. 6, 1747 Sytjen, whose
residence was Walkill, m. Cornelius Kool, the widower of
Madaleen Decker. (see no. 12)

Ch: VAN ETTEN (from Hoe's)

i. Ary 7 Dec. 1729

ii. Catrina 21 Oct. 1733

iii. Elizabeth 26 Apr. 1736

iv. Annatjen 4 July, 1742, Kingston

Chapter 4

FOURTH GENERATION

24. JAN (4) VAN ETTEN, Jacobus (3) Jan (2) Jacob (1):
bp. 4/17/1720 Knightsfield, Ulster Co. N.Y.¹ d. bef. Mar. 20, 1786 Rowan County, N. Car. (see will) m. 1st Mar. 26, 1738 to Maritje Westfael, b. at Minisink and bp. Jan. 31, 1720, dau. of Jurian and Maria (Cuddeback) Westfael; both living at Minisink, married by Justice Anthony Westbrook April 13. These records were taken from a pamphlet by Rev. J.P. Ten Eyck, printed 1877; ceremony performed by J.C. Fryenmuth unless otherwise stated as it was in this case. Mary Westfall Van Etten was received into the church June 19, 1745² and Jan was elected Deacon in 1745 and appointed Prelector or Reader. They settled about 1750 near Easton, Pa. The first attempt to organize Smithfield was in 1746. The name of Jan Van Etten does not appear upon the list of signers - upon the back of the petition is endorsed the words "Plan next court" and at the next court his name is not upon the list, but in December, 1750 (two years later) his name does appear with the other petitioners for "A township to be bounded by Bushkill on the south, to which creek there is a grant of a township, by Delaware on the east, and by lands belonging to the honorable Proprietaries on the north and west." The petitioners represented themselves as "the remotest livers from the honorable court." This application was held under advisement. This Van Etten no doubt was Jan as Smithfield was the first township and on August 22, 1767 John Van Etten residing in Forks twp. Pa. deeded land to his brother Johannes Van Etten, three tracts, containing 68 acres, lying below the Namanock Islands in the Delaware river - this land was in Delaware Twp., now Pike Co. Pa. In this deed John's wife was named Margaret.³ Pa. Arch. Ser. 3, Vol. 2, p. 388 gives a little side light on this land. "Land Office, March 24, 1767 John Van Etten enters a caveat against the acceptance of a survey made for John Cartwright by virtue of his application number 1931 date of Oct. 10,

1. Coll. of the N.Y. Gen. & Biog. So. Vol. 5, p. 265.

2. Original Records of Reformed Dutch Church at Machackemeck (Deer Park) by Rev. J.B. Ten Eyck.

3. A Frontier Village, pre-Revolutionary Easton by A.D. Chidsey, p. 69.

1766, for the land in Lower Smithfield Twp., Northampton Co., alleging that he hath a prior right, warrant granted to Longshore the day of ---- the same until they have a hearing in the said. David Kennedy, James Tilgham, secy. to John Lukens, Esq. S.G." and on page 642 of the same: "June 6, 1783, Samuel Decker enters a caveat against granting a patent to John Van Etten for a tract of land in Delaware Twp., Northampton Co., surveyed by virtue of a warrant or location to John Van Etten Sen'r, alleging that the said warrant was not located in the place where the survey is made and that he, said Decker, has an improvement on the land." David Kennedy, sec'y John Lukens, Esq'r. Then again in Ser. 2, Vol. 2 p. 112 "Johanna Vanetta against the heirs of Daniel Vanetta - on hearing the parties it appears that Daniel Vanetta has transferred his right to the land in dispute, to Johanna Vanetta by deed dated March 10, 1770, now produced - therefor allowed patent to said Johanna Vanetta."

The Capt. John Van Etten who was in command at Ft. Hyndshaw at Bushkill, Pike Co. and at Ft. Hamilton, Stroudsburg was also a Judge in the orphan court in 1754.⁴ "In 1755 Capt. John Van Etten's company was from Upper Smithfield." Capt. John kept a diary⁵ dated Ft. Hyndshaw and Ft. Hamilton Dec. 1, 1756 to July 21, 1757. His diary ended abruptly in July 22, 1757 and many historians believed that he had died as in the Pa. Arch. Ser. 5, Vol. 1 p. 62 in "Field Officers and Captains in Provincial Pay 1744-1765, 2nd Pa., 1st Co. John Van Etten, Resigned B" and further on "The late Van Etten's Company" not necessarily meaning that he was deceased.

So far the death (or divorce) of Mary Westfael Van Etten has not been found but the records show that Jan married the second time about 1757 to Margaret LaFevre, dau. of John and wife Christina (Wentz), who kept "public house" near the Bushkill in the township of Forks abt 6 mi. from Easton at the time of the laying out of Easton. Mr. A.D. Chidsey Jr., Pres. of the Northampton Historical So. (1935-37) (now deceased) in his book "A Frontier Village - pre Revolutionary Easton" weaves quite a tale around the romance between Capt. John Van Etten of the Minisinks and Margaret LaFevre, the inn-keeper's daughter, which culminated in marriage. The records show that on June 17, 1760 John petitioned for a license for a "Place of Entertainment for travelers" in Forks Twp.⁶

4. Hist. of Wayne, Pike, Monroe Co. in Pa. by Matthews, p. 911.

5. Rupp's Hist. of Northampton, Lehigh, Monroe, Schuylkill and Carbon Co's, Pa. p. 423; also Pa. Arch. S.1, V.2, p. 720.

6. See Liquor License.

May 21, 1764 John LaFevre of the twp. of Worcester, Phila. Co. Pa. and Christina, his wife, sold to John Van Etten of the Forks, Northampton Co., yeoman, the land which he had acquired from the proprietaries in 1745, situated on Tatamey's creek in the county of Bucks (since the division of the counties is within the limits of the said Co. of Northampton), containing 368 acres together with appurtenances, etc. - for 500 lbs. lawful money. In 1775 John and wife Margaret sold this same tract to Frederick Diehl. LaFevre's will is on file at Phila., Pa. probated in 1779 in which he mentions his daughter Margaret, as wife of John Van Etten.

Several children of John and Margaret are buried in the cemetery on the farm place near Easton or (Stockertown) and their graves are marked by stones bearing English inscriptions. A Mrs. Stecker, wife of Melchoir was also buried there on the Van Etten ground. Her tombstone bears the date 1776. The names of John Van Etten and John LaFevre were among the first settlers in Forks. James Searle was the first surveyor residing in the Forks twp. and occupied a dwelling on John Van Etten's land.⁷

John's name is on the tax list of Forks in 1772 and in 1775 his dau. Rosina was bp. at the Plainfield Reformed Church.

In 1780 John Van Etten's name first appears on record as purchasing land in Rowan Co. N. Car. and in 1786 his will was probated, in which he states "to prevent all future debts and disputes between my six children by my first wife, and my present wife and her children, and as touching my North Carolina rights, I have left to my six children by my first wife five shillings apiece and no more. I do hereby debar my executors of paying them any more of my present estate either value personal of any kind what so ever--" etc.-"likewise I give and bequeath to my four sons, Samuel, John, Abraham and Isaac -- and my four daughters, Elizabeth, Christian, Rosanna and Sarah" (see List of Children).

In John's Diary - a letter from Capt. John Van Etten to Gov. Morris, 1756, "Ft. Hyndshaw July 24, 1756 (signed Capt. John Van Etten) it is very clear that both Jan and his brother Johannes were present at the fort on that date for upon inquiry of the Indian for the Capt." His brother answered "I am the man." etc. The following was written by Dr. Andrew O. English, 511 East Olive St., Monrovia, Cal. who has made a very careful study of the Van Etten records to ascertain which John (Jan or Johannes) was a capt. in the Colonial forts. He writes on May 8, 1943: "I have found, after careful study of

7. Ellis' Hist. of Northampton Co. Pa. 1877 p. 247.

the Pa. Arch. and some other records, that your John, bp. name Jan, and bp. May 17, 1720, is 'Capt. John Van Etten.' He always used his English name John, signing letters and reports as "John" while Johannes always used his dutch name "Johannes" and never signed John.

In the letter to Gov. Morris (written before the diary) from Ft. Hyndshaw, July 24, 1756 and signed "John Van Etten," published in Pa. Arch. 1st ser. Vol. II pages 720-21; this letter is evidently written by an amenuensis as the name is spelled as one word "Vanetten" whereas when John made records he wrote them himself, e.g. his diary. This particular letter is signed by John. The amenuensis, probably writing at dictation of John (Jan), wrote: "His brother answered, I am the man." This same brother continued the conversation with the Indian, and we find the statement "Then Johannes Vanetten desired," etc., indicating beyond a doubt that Johannes was serving in his brother's company at that time. Jan was eleven or twelve years older than Johannes.

About four months from the date of this letter we have the Journal of Capt. Johannes Van Etten at Ft. Hyndshaw and Fort Hamilton in Pa. forces from Dec. 1, 1756 to July 21, 1757. It would appear that John and Johannes were captains at the same time.

On May 22, 1775, Capt. John Van Etten and Capt. Johannes Van Etten received new commissions. These two were no doubt Capt. Johannes, b. 1732, and his son John, b. 1759.

John Van Etten is supposed to have been buried on his farm in Rowan Co. N.Car. but the present owners know nothing of any burials there and there are no markers. When Margaret died is not known but she followed him - no doubt lived with her son on the old home place of 300 acres, which were granted to John for 50 shillings for every 100 acres on the east side of Hunting creek - by Richard Caswell, Gov. It is believed that the son Samuel remained in N.C. as Abraham appears in Sugar Creek Twp., Greene Co. Ohio in 1803 (he sold his N.C. land to his bro. Samuel); John is supposed to have gone to Ga. In the 1790 census of N.C. they seemed to have dropped the Van and call themselves just Eaton; in the Salisbury Dist. of Rowan Co. are listed, Christian, Christopher, Daniel, Ebenezer, George, Isaac, Peter and Thomas. Abraham of Greene Co. O. was known as Van Eaton. Hunting Creek empties into the Yadkin River. Capt. John's land was located in what is now known as Davie County, N.C.

In the files of the Northampton County wills John Van Etten b. 1720 of Forks Twp. can be identified in the following:

File #513-Richard Van Etten of Plainfield was his brother - Apr. 6, 1770; File #253-Adam Ongler of Plainfield Twp.-adm. was John Van Etten, June 5, 1763; also #499 John McMichael of Lower Smithfield, adm. John Van Etten of Forks Twp. June 1769); #116 - R. Schoonover of Lower Smithfield, Adm. John Van Etten Esq. July 6, 1756.

Children of Jan⁴ Van Etten

1st wife Mary Westfall

35. i. Helena⁵ bp. Nov. 1, 1738 Deerpark (Min. rec.)
m. Jan. 1, 1757 Jacob Helm
 36. ii. Jacob, bp. June 17, 1740 (Hoe's p. 103 says b. 1739)
m. 1st Jan. 13, 1763 Jane Louw; m. 2nd May 1781 Sarah Decker
 37. iii. Daniel - two dates of baptism are given, Hoe's p. 104 and 106. 1st date 7-25-1741 and 2nd date July 5, 1747. This is explained in a foot note: "The two dates for the baptisms 'door my onwettigh V.D.M.' i.e., by me unlawfully, minister of the word." The following baptisms to Oct. 3, 1742 are crossed off with pencilmarks. The baptisms were called unlawful probably from difficulties about authority from Coetus (Synod). Rev. Frenemuth crossed out earlier baptisms, prior to time he was ordained by Classis at Amsterdam.
 - iv. Catherine b. Apr. 23, 1743 (p. 106 Hoe's)
 - v. Maria b. 2-9-1746 (p. 110 same)
 38. vi. Margarita b. 3-6-1748 (p. 116 Hoe's) perhaps the same child as Margrieta bp. 11-5-1752 and the last child of John and Mary to be found in the Hoe's register. To the latter Johannes V.E. and wife Maria Gonsalus were wit. Margarieta m. June 22, 1770 Joseph Ennis (p. 126 Min.)
 - vii. Samuel b. 5-27-1750 d. May 26, 1761 aged 11 yrs. The oldest stone in the old Forks graveyard near Stockertown. Wit. to his bp. were Johannes Westfael and wife Appolonia Kortrecht (a half uncle on his mother's side).
 - viii. John b. 2-11-bp. 4-15-1758 (first recorded to John and 2nd wife, Margaret) p. 91 Tohickon Ch. rec. Bedminister Twp. d. 6-9-1763 in his 6th yr. bur. Forks.
 - ix. Abraham b. Apr. 5, bp. May 2, 1760 wit: Abraham La-Fevre and wife. p. 107 Tohickon Ch. rec. d. June 29, 1763 in his 4th yr. bur. Forks.
- Note: see John Eyerman's "The old graveyards of Northampton Co. and adjacent counties."
- x. Maria Margaret b. Apr. 22, 1769 bp. Apr. 2, 1771 at the first ref. Ch. in Easton. Sponsors were Jacob Decker and wife Margaret. (see also Kieffer's First settlers on the forks of the Delaware, p. 92)

- xi. Rosina b. 2-7- bp. 2-19, 1775 Plainfield Ref. Ch. Vol. 1 p. 9 of Hinke's Rec. Parents were given as John VonNete and Margaret. Wit. were Conrad Kressi and wife.

The compiler has not found any other records for John and Margaret's children except those named in his will in 1786.

Therefore, in the will among the "six children by my first wife," living in 1780 when he made the will were Helena Helm ae 42, Jacob ae 40, Catharine ae 37, Maria 34, Margareth Ennis 32. Daniel died 1774 and Samuel 1761. Seems to be one not recorded here. By 2nd wife: Maria Margaret, Samuel, Isaac, John, Abraham, Elizabeth, Christian, Rosina (Rozannah) and Sarah. Maria Margaret not mentioned in the will.

Copy of letter of Capt. John Van Etten to Governor Robert Morris of Pa. in Pa. Archives 1st series, Vol. II p. 720.

Ft. Hyndshaw, July 24, 1756.

May it please your honor:

After my humble service to you, I take the boldness to inform your Honour that we are all in good health here in the Fort. I likewise think it my duty to inform your honour of what happened the 22nd of this instant.

In this township about fifteen miles above our fort, I sent a sergeant with four men up there to guard some farmers in their harvest, and as they came to the field some of the company was behind and they Hollowed to one another, and after the second Hollow there was an Indian Hollowed at some distance Towards the Mountain and Enquired for the Captain. His brother answered I am the man, then he said Come you to us, and accordingly He did; the Indian asked him if he was alone, He said yes, But made a sign for Sergeant Cole and the company to stay back. Then Johannis Vanetten desired the Indian to come to him, but the Indian answered him and said come you more up the mountain, and he did and they met and Shook Hands together, then Vanetten asked him to go down with him to the house, But he sd no, for the Indians, sd he, have done so much mischief Here last winter that he was afraid to come down there. Vanetten sd to him, if you are a friend, you need not be afraid, for you shall not be hurt, but he answered he would not come in but would return that Day again to Wig-mamonck, then Vanetten asked him if he would drink a dram with him, and He sd yes, and the sd Vanetten sent for the bot-tel and drank to him and asked him from whence He came, He sd from Wyamonck, Vanetten told him he lyed, then he confessed he came from Teogo, then Vanetten asked him how

many prisoners was there, He sd four had been there, but was gone, then Vanetten told him to call the other two Indians to come to him if you are friends, and you shall not be hurt; He did so, whereupon the young Indian came, but the other would not then Vanetten talked to him about the four that was murdered the week before on Minisink Road, but when he talked to him about that he was for going away and kept himself well guarded with his gun while he was surrounded, then they agreed that Vanetten should go with the young Indian and Bring in the other Indian and as they was gone about one hundred yards from the companysaith Vanetten Call to the other Indian, he sd he would and looked back and run off whereupon Vanetten fired upon him, But his gun not going fair of thought by his cauling That only the swan shot hit him, the other hearing the gun forst himself through the company and run of, Whereupon they fired Nine guns upon and killed him and took of his scalp.

So having no more to write to your honour I suscribe myself your obedient servant to Command,

Capt. John Van Etten."

Indorsed: Letter read in council, and other data. Present the Governor, Mr. Logan, Mr. Peters, Mr. Mifflin, Mr. Chew. P.M. This affair was communicated to Teedyuscung and the Indians after dinner. He said it would make no alteration in the publick measures. He charged ye Indians not to come among ye inhabitants, if they did and should be killed they would disregard it, etc.

LIQUOR LICENSE. From the original application for a license to sell liquor in Forks Township. This document found in the Archives Room at the Court House, Easton, Pa. by A. D. Chidsey Jr. November 10, 1941. The following is a copy (Sic).

To the worship full the Justices houlding Court at Easton for the County of Northampton the 17 Day of June, 1760.

The petition of John van Etten Humbly Sheweth, That your petitioner is Comodiously Situated in A Convenient place for the Entertainment of travelers in forks twounship in the Said County aforesaid on the Road Leading from the upper part of the County to Easton and hath been heretofore Licensed to keep a publick hous your petitioner therefore Humbly prays that your worships will be please to grant him Recommandation to his honour the governor to Continue his Licence for keeping A publick hous where he now Lefs in the Said County and your petitioner as in Duty Bound Shall Ever pray

(signed) John van Etten

Note: This document is marked
on the back; "Allowed".

WILL OF JOHN VAN ETTEN

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN, I John Van Etten of Rowan County in the State of North Carolina being very sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory thanks to God. Therefore calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, I do constitute and appoint this my last Will and Testament. First of all I recommend my soul into the hands of God who gave it and my body to be buried in a Christian like manner, at the discretion of my Executors, and as touching such worldly estate, wherewith it has pleased God to bless me with in this life, I give and bequeath in the following manner. And to prevent all future debts and disputes between my six children by my first wife, and my present wife and her children, and as touching my North Carolina rights, I have left to my six children by my first wife five shillings apiece and no more. I do hereby debar my Executors of paying them any more of my present Estate either value personal of any name or kind whatsoever, likewise, I give and bequeath to my beloved wife her bed and furniture and to hold free and unmolested possession of the house and premises during her life, likewise, I give and bequeath to my four sons, Samuel, John, Abraham, and Isaac. All my lands to be divided in the following manner (viz) Samuel One Hundred and twenty acres, and to my son John I give and bequeath, One hundred and fifty six acres of land lying on the other side of hunting creek called the Bend and the remainder of the land to be equally divided between Abraham and Isaac on this side of the Creek. I give and bequeath to my four daughters, Elizabeth, Christian, Royanah and Sarah, the sum of five and twenty pounds each North Carolina currency to be paid within the term of four years after my decease, Elizabeth is to have her saddle and bed and furniture and after my just debts are paid, the remainder is to be equally divided between my four sons, and I do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my dear and loving wife, and my son Samuel and my trusty friend David Caldwell, Executors of this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and disannulling all former Wills and Testaments by me hertofore made, and all legacies requests and Executors by me in any ways before this time willed and bequeathed, satisfying and confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament.

IN WITNESS HEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twentieth day of March, Seventeen hundred and Eighty Six.

Signed, sealed, published and pronounced and delivered by the said Testator as his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us the subscribers (viz).

JOHN VAN ETTEN (SEAL)

FRANCIS NEELY
Jno Evans

Certified:

(Seal) A true copy -

B. D. McCubbins

C. S. C.

This will was recorded at Salisbury, N.C. in Book "C", page 181, the 20th day of March, 1786.

Minute Book 1773-1786 May Session, Rowan County, N.C. p. 548 is found - "The last will and testament of John Van Etten proved in open court by the oath of Francis Neely. Ordered that letters Testamentary issue to Margaret Van Etten, Samuel Van Etten and Daniel Caldwell who qualified."

Of John and Margaret's children - we find where Samuel Van Etten m. Ruth Neely. (the date is lacking in the record) Their children were John, Richard, Abraham, Betsey, Nancy, Margarite, Dolly, Hannah and Sarah. Of these, we believe the marriage record of John V.E. who m. 12-12-1820 to Liddy Lowery, wit. were Abram Neely and Henry Allenmong, fits Samuel's son John.

Richard V.E. m. 1-14-1826 Catharine March - wit. were John McCall Jr. and L.P. Rose, J.P. (deeds prove Richard to have been Samuel's son). Abraham (Samuel's son) m. Barsina Bean and had seven children.

Abraham Van Etten (son of John and Margaret) m. 12-17-1789 to Avis Stapleton. wit: to the m. were James McDaniel and Ed. Harris.

The following letter written to the compiler on March 11, 1949 by Mrs. W. Weniger, Corvallis, Ore. gives some of Abraham's data.

"Do you remember writing me several years ago about a John Meharg, born in Ireland in 1839, who came to this country with his parents in 1852 and later married Mary Whittlesey? You thought, if he had a son John, that he might be Mrs. Brouse's father.

Not long after receiving your letter, I got one from the Marriage License Clerk of the Probate Court, Portage County, Ohio, which said: 'I have checked our marriage record index and cannot find any license issued to the above named parties [John Meharg and Amy Van Eaton]. We have a John Meharg listed who married a Clarice Whittlesey, July 9, 1867. They must have obtained their license in another county.'

I didn't pay much attention to this note, since I was concerned with Mrs. Brouse's mother, Amy Van Eaton, evidently John's second wife. But the other day I was going through my notes, discarding a lot and bringing my file up to date, and when I re-read this, I thought possibly you might want it for your Whittlesey file. There was just the one John Meharg, Mrs. Brouse's father, born in Ireland on Nov. 25, 1839, the original of the article from the History of Portage Co., Ohio, a copy of which you sent me. My notes say he came to America in

1851 and settled in Mahoning Co.; that he was a Mason and G.A.R. veteran; moved to Riverside, Calif., in 1895; died at South Pasadena Nov. 4, 1932 and is buried in Olivewood Cemetery, Riverside. His second wife was Amy Van Eaton, born Feb. 5, 1853; died at Hermosa Beach, Calif., June 16, 1930; buried in Olivewood Cemetery, Riverside, Calif. Amy was the daughter of the Rev. John Van Eaton, born Xenia, Ohio, Dec. 31, 1817; lived in Rochester, N.Y., five years, then moved to York, Livingston Co., N.Y.; died in Clinton Springs, N.Y., March 5, 1880; buried in York Cemetery. Married April 19, 1846 Rebecca Katherine Young, born Oxford, Ohio, in 1825; died in Washington, D.C., in 1900, aged 75 years; buried in York, N.Y. She was the daughter of Alexander Young, who lived in Butler Co., Ohio, then at Oxford, Ohio, and died in Louisa Co., Iowa, July 12, 1864. He is buried beside his wife, who died in 1828, in Collinsville, Butler Co., Ohio.

The Rev. John Van Eaton was the son of John Van Eaton, who was born in Virginia (?) Nov. 22, 1791; died Xenia, Ohio, Feb. 11, 1858. July 13, 1815 he married Sally Bigger, who died March 25, 1871 (one record says April), aged 76 yrs, 11 mos, 10 days (the other record says aged 77 yrs). A family Bible in Xenia says she was born April 15, 1794. She and John are buried in Woodland Cemetery, Xenia. They had ten children.

John Van Eaton was a son of Abraham Van Eaton, who married Avis Stapleton in Salisbury, Rowan Co., N.C., Dec. 17, 1789, and had 13 children. Abraham died at his farm on Sugar Creek, Greene Co., Ohio. A note given me said he left a will, said to be recorded in Union Co., Ohio, Feb. 20, 1845, but I have written practically every county in Ohio and Indiana, near the Wabash River, and couldn't find it. This Abraham, with his brothers Samuel, John, and Isaac, were sons of John Van Etten of Rowan County, N.C., who died in 1786.

You probably have all this but I thought you might want to clear up the record for John Meharg's first wife - her name was probably Mary Clarice.

John V.E. son of Abraham, 1791-1858 left a will and named his children and wife Sarah. Ch. named were: Joseph (b. 8-2-1837, d. 12-?-1897); James, Albert, John, Sarah, Martha, Rebecca Wright, also grand dau. Jannette M. Hamill. A James Hamill is mentioned, probably the father of Jannette whose mother perhaps was deceased.

In Robinson's Hist. of Greene Co. Ohio on p. 21 it states that Sugar Creek twp. was the gateway into the county of almost all of the pioneers. Abraham Van Etten was in Sugar Creek in Aug. of 1803 aged over 21. On p. 41 we find where Abraham attended preaching services of Rev. Robert Armstrong in the cabin at Bellbrook erected by Joseph Vance, in the fall of 1804. Armstrong was an associator or Seceder; on p. 261 Abraham is listed from Sugar Creek Twp. as a soldier in the war of 1812 in Capt. John Clarks' Co. and is bur. in

Pioneer graveyard north of Bellbrook, O. John V.E. also of Sugar Creek twp. was in Ammi Maltbie Co. same war and he (John) d. in 1858 ae 66 and is bur. in Woodland, Xenia; on p. 392 it states that Van Etten of Sugar Creek Twp. soldier of 1812 and one of the first grand jurors in Greene is bur. at Pioneer, and John Jr., Xenia in 1840 removed to York, N.Y.

Credit is also given to Mrs. John W. Van Eaton, R.D. 5, Xenia, Ohio, for verification of the above. The Bible giving data of John and Sarah (Bigger) Van Eaton is in her possession.

We find that Abraham and Avis (Stapleton) V.E. also had children: Sarah, b. Oct. 18, 1790; Margerite, Anne, Joseph, Josiah, James, Margerite (2nd), Samuel, Mary, Rachel, Avis and Rebecca. (thirteen in all)."

The compiler has a photostat copy of the will of John LaFebre, father of Margaret Van Etten (wife of John) and mother of the above Abraham. Will filed in Phila. Pa. dated Oct. 28, 1778; probated Feb. 3, 1779. "Far advanced in years" - of Hereford Twp. Berks Co. Pa. children mentioned: John, Isaac, Margaretha, wife of John Van Etten; Susanna, wife of Gabriel Frey, Christina late wife of John Mellig; Elizabeth wife of Leonard Gressemer, and Henry. Exec.: Isaac LaFevre, son and Leonard Greesemer, son-in-law. Wit: George Kriebel, ----? and Nicholas March.

25. HELENA (lena or Magdalena)⁴ Van Etten, Jacobus³, see no. 14; bp. 24 Dec. 1721 (Hoe's), wit. were Johannes Westbrook and Magdalena Decker. She married 18 June, 1742 Rev. Johan Casparus Fryenmuth, b. Switzerland about 1718/20, and as a young man emigrated to America where he settled at Minisink, Orange Co. N.Y. The people of the Dutch congregations of Minisink, Smithfield, Walpeck, and Machackemack (Deer Park), impressed with his earnestness, encouraged him to continue his theological studies and, with their contributions, made it possible for him to go to Holland and complete his education.

Upon his return he was appointed, in 1741, the first regular pastor of the Dutch Reformed Church at Shawnee-on-Delaware, Monroe County, Pa., and served until Dec. 1743. He was ordained by Domine George W. Mancius on Dec. 16, 1744, and from then until 1756, he was pastor at Minisink, Walpeck and Machackemack; also during part of this period, from 1745 until 1751, he was supply pastor at Warwarsing, N.Y. From 1756 until 1770, he was pastor of the congregations at Kinderhook, Claverack, and Livingston Manor, and from 1770 until 1778, of those at Red Hook, Kinderhook, and Schodack, all in N.Y. state. (Manual of the Reformed church in America, 4th edit. 1902, p. 481.)

To the Honourable the Convention in & for the State of Pennsylvania now sitting in Philadelphia this 30th Day of August A D 1777.
 The Petition of the Inhabitants of Delaware & Upper Smithfield Townships in the County of Northampton & in the State of Pennsylvania - Humbly Sheweth

~~Jacobus van Garssen~~
 John Evers
 Johannes Van Etten

Now & all the Neighbours about
 the fort is mounted in the fort which
 I Comprehend to have sent the
 soldiers for the orders may be
 Excuse best Sir I Remain your
 most humble friend & humble
 servant Sir
 Attest
 the 21 1757
 Capt. John van Etten

Van Etten gave upon them that they were not going far as thought by his Captain
 That only the poor shot hit him the other hearing the gun first himself through
 the Company and him of whereupon they fired nine guns upon him and killed
 him and took of his scalp, so having no more to write to your Honour
 subscribe my self your obedient servant To Command
 See Colon. Records vol. VII. p. 212.
 Capt. John van Etten

Signatures of Capt. John Van Etten and
 Capt. Johannes Van Etten for comparison



Site of Fort Hyndshaw

Northernmost of a line of Forts built in 1756 under the direction of Benjamin Franklin erected and commanded by Capt. John Van Etten and Lt. James Hyndshaw erected by the Monroe County Historical Society, 1936. (Bushkill, Pike Co. Pa.)

He died about 1778, aged nearly 66 yrs. and is buried beneath the church at Kinderhook; his widow survived him many years and died there Oct. 10, 1808 aged 87 yrs. and three days. They had six daughters, five of whom reached maturity and married. All but the youngest bp. in Machackemack.

At the time of their marriage they were both listed as in Morris Co. N.J. and about 1757/8 moved to Kinderhook. (The Namenock fort was built on land donated by Cornelius Westbrook, bro. to Justice Anthony, and is now, in 1947, the Burson Bell farm.) His sermons were all dated from "Nomenock" N.J. where the parsonage was located.

- i. Dorothy⁵ Fryenmuth bp. 13 July, 1743. Wit: Jan Van Etten and Maritje Westfall, his wife; m. 29 Sept. 1771 in Kinderhook Dutch Ch. Peter B. Van Buren, bp. there 18 Feb. 1733, son of Barent and Marie (Winne) Van Buren. They had six children. (see N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Rec. July 1948)
- ii. Antje⁵ Fryenmuth, bp. 13, July 1746. Wit.: Jacob Van Etten and Antje Westbrook, his wife, on May 5, 1771 m. John E. Van Alen, bp. 19 June, 1748, he d. in March 1807 in East Greenbush, N.Y.; son of Evert and Margarita (Fitzgerald) Van Alen. She was one of the executors of his will dated Nov. 21, 1793. They had no children. Their m. is recorded as follows in the Kinderhook Dutch Ch. "Met license May 5. John E. Van Alen, in de county van Albany, merchant, met Ann Fryenmoet, van deselfde county, spinster. License April 30, 1771."
- iii. Heyltje⁵ Fryenmuth, bp. 17 July, 1748. Died young.
- iv. Maria⁵ Fryenmuth, bp. 30 Dec. 1750 wit.: Johannes Van Etten and Maria Gonsales, his wife. She m. Mar. 16, 1771 Abraham E. Van Alen, bp. June 25, 1750; d. May 31, 1808, a son of Evert and Margarita (Fitzgerald) Van Alen. She survived her husband some years - on May 31, 1808 she advertised for sale a house and barn, and two acres of land in Kinderhook, late the property of Abraham Van Alen, also on Apr. 1, 1816 she gave the power of attorney to James Vanderpoel, to collect her third as widow of Abraham Van Alen, in pursuance of a judgement obtained against Elizabeth Thurston. They had 9 children. (see N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Rec. July 1948.)
- v. Heyltje⁵ Fryenmuth, bp. Feb. 3, 1754. Wit.: Cornelius Van Etten and Heyltje Westbrook. On Jan. 15, 1782 she m. in Kinderhook, Nicholas Kittel, b. abt 1757, a son of Andreas Kittel and Fytje Burgart. They had five children (see N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Rec. July 1948).
- vi. Jannetje⁵ Fryenmuth bp. Oct. 24, 1756 in Claversack Dutch

Ch. Wit.: Abram Fonda and Jannetje Muller. On Mar. 1, 1792 she married as his third wife, Jacobus Vanderpool, b. May 20, 1737; d. July 7, 1804. Son of Laurens Vanderpoel and Ariantje Vanderburg. She was living in 1808, but there is no record of any children.

Acknowledgement is given to Mr. Innes Getty, 124 Locust Hill Ave., Yonkers, N.Y. for his consent in the use of the above records as given in the N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Rec. of July 1948.

26. CORNELIUS (4) VAN ETTEN, Jacob (3) Jan (2) Jacob (1); bp. 1/19/1724 Kingston b. 1723 Knightsfield patent. Dwelling at Namenock.
m. Mar. 26, 1746 Heltje Westbroeck.

Their children are listed in the Minisink records as follows:

39. i. Anntje, bp. Nov. 30, 1746, m. Jacobus Van Gorden
ii. Johannes, bp. Jan. 20, 1751 in Maghackemek (see footnote) m. Maria--? (perhaps McGee). p. 167 Min. Rec. is a son Semijon (Semyon) bp. 11/26/1776
iii. (p. 100 is listed a son Gideon to Cornelius Van Aaken and Hester Relje, wit: Jan Van Oetten and Maretje Westfal, dated Nov. 1, 1738; p. 105 is also listed Cornelius Van Asken and Hester Denis, a dau. Jannetje b. May 3, 1743 and wt. were Jacob Van Oetten and wife Antje Wessebrock. These could have both been for the above Cornelius who married Heyltje Westbrook, but we have no proof that they were.)
Gideon, bp. Jan. 22, 1754.
p. 203 Min. rec. lists Gideon Van Etten and Blandina Barthron bp. of a child Joannes b. Apr. 1, 1792 bp. 4/13/92 and Joannes Van Etten and Mary McGee were the witnesses. p. 217 a dau. Majore b. 7/4/1802 with same witnesses.

Children as given:

- i. Joannes (no doubt Johannes) bp. 1792 p. 203 Min. Rec.
- ii. Anthony b. Aug. 15, 1792 (p. 204 Min. Rec.)
- iii. James b. 6/19/1794 (Cath. Ennis?)
- iv. Antie b. 1/7/1797
- v. Maria b. 11/16/1798
- vi. Majore b. 7/4/1802
- vii. Christina b. 5/1/1806
- viii. Sarah b. 7/15/1804
- iv. Magdaline bp. 1/27/1759 d.y.
- v. Magdaline bp. 3/21/1762 wit. were Rev. J. Fryenmuth and wife.

From the Port Jervis Gazette, May 1832 - Wm. J. Coulter, Pub. Newton, N.J. will book C. Sussex Co. Court.

JOHANNES VAN ETTEN - dated May 27, 1832. Township of Sandyston, Sussex Co. N.J. - names wife MARY - amongst the heirs "my nephew, John Van Etten Jr. their heirs and assigns forever." Also "I give and bequeath to above heirs of John Van Etten Jr. all of the farm which I purchased from minister Vermoot (Rev. J.C. Fryenmuth) of Namanock, said to contain 108 acres to be equally divided among them and their heirs. I give and bequeath to my nephew James Van Etten all the farm whereon he now lives, said to contain about 57 acres and then to go to his heirs. Lastly I appoint my trusted friend and nephew John Van Etten Jr. executor to my last will and testament made Nov. 11, 1830. Signed John Van Netten." etc.

27. ANTHONY (4) VAN ETTEN, Jacobus 3 see no. 14.
b. or bp. June 12, 1726, Kingston (Napenock) Ulster Co. N.Y. He was an enthusiastic supporter of the cause of the American Colonies in the war of the revolution, a Signer of the articles of Association at Minisink in 1775 and served in the Militia forces as a Capt. of Orange Co. Mil. His patriotic zeal procured for him the enmity of those who sympathized with the Royal cause, and in the latter part of 1778 he was assassinated by Tories in his orchard.

His home was a strongly constructed stone building, in which his widow and children continued to reside after his death until the invasion by Brandt in July 1779. The place was then dismantled, but not burned, and his widow, returning, lived there until her death.

She survived him by many years; she was a short, strong woman, of good constitution, and an affectionate mother, agreeable neighbor, sociable, and much addicted to humorous conversation; often told funny occurrences of former times. The writer finds two death dates for the widow Annatje Decker whom Anthony married Aug. 3, 1750 at Namenock. She was born 1728 or 30 and died Owaseo Cayuga Co. N.Y. Jan. 30, 1821. She was the daughter of Thomas Decker (1704-80) according to DAR nat'l no. 127840 but Nat'l no. 1757 names Major John Decker as her father. Prob. the former is correct. Soon after the marriage of Anthony and Hannah, they settled in Deerpark, Orange Co. N.Y. and there remained. He was a blacksmith by trade; a Justice of the Peace (Vredrichter) and he performed many of the Van Etten marriages. In 1751 he was a deacon of Machackemeck Church and in 1755, an elder. Anthony's will recorded in Book 33, p. 66 in the Office of the

Surrogate, N.Y. City he gave his personal property to his wife as long as she remain his widow and after she was through with it, it was to be divided among his four sons and six daughters.

To the estate of Anthony Van Etten of Minisink (dec'd). Co. of Orange, State of N.Y. The quit claim deed from Margaret and Jacob Wilson to Levi Van Etten recorded Sussex Co. N.J. the co-heirs are Levi and Henry Van Etten, Anchy Cortright, Orradall Gunsallis, Blandina Westfall, Maria Decker, Jane Westbrook (dec'd), and Thomas Van Etten. Widow Hannah, of Anthony.

Children of Anthony (4) and Hannah Decker Van Etten:

- i. Antje, first b. d.y.
- ii. Thomas bp. Sept. 8, 1751 d.y.
40. iii. Antje (Anna) bp. Jan. 14, 1753, d. 1800. see 5th Gen.
- iv. Janneke, bp. Apr. 28, 1754
- v. Margareta, bp. Feb. 13, 1756 (m. Jacob Wilson, see quit claim deed) ch: Thos. bp. 8-18-1782, Mireon, bp. 6-8-1784, Jacobus Rosenkranz and Mary A. Cuddeback, wit.
41. vi. Levi bp. Feb. 12, 1758, d. Oct. 23, 1843
- vii. Alida bp. Aug. 19, 1759 (Collections of Hist. of Albany says "Alida Van Etten and Johannes Rous of Halve Maan had child Lena bp. 1/29/1787") Record from the "Doopt-boek" or Albany church.
- viii. Hendricus bp. June 14, 1761
- ix. Blandina bp. Sept. 14, 1763, d. 1849 and is bur. in Mt. Zion Cemetery in Carroll Co. Ohio. She m. 1781 Capt. Abraham Westfall, son of Petrus and Arientje (Rosenkrans) Westfall; he was b. 1755 and d. 1829.
A son John (1800-47) m. 1826 Amy Beatty (1805-77) DAR. 147613; a dau. Catherine m. Judge James Patrick. Their dau. Catharine Patrick m. Joseph Medill (1823-99), distinguished journalist and editor of the Chicago Tribune (see "Joseph Medill" as pub. by the Tribune in 1947); Cath. V.E. Medill, their dau., m. 1876 Robert S. McCormick (1849-1919) and had issue:
Henrietta H., Elizabeth D., Medill (see Who's Who in America), Robert Rutherford b. Chi. 7/30/1880 and Mildred D.
- x. Maria b. 1764, bp. Nov. 11, 1765; d. in 1849. m. 1783 Isiah Decker. a dau. Elizabeth (1795-1865) m. 1814 Joseph Davis (1795-1865) and Ann Davis (1825-55) m. 1844 Gilbert Hulse (1817-57)
42. xi. Thomas bp. Oct. 16, 1768, d. 1839; m. Elizabeth Ennis

- xii. Jacob bp. June 5/1778 or? 6-3-1774 Napanock N.Y. (not bp. at Machachemeck as were the others)
43. xiii. Anthony Jr. b. Deerpark Mar. 30, 1779 or Oct. 29, 1770 (believe '79 correct) after his father's death.
m. Jemima Cuddeback.
A son Benj. b. Owasco N.Y. 2-28-1804 moved to Illinois in 1838 and set upon a farm in Wennebago, near Rochford. (Amer. Ancestry, Vol. 7, p. 171)

Ref: Minisink Valley Church records

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Hist. of Orange Co. N.Y. by Ruttenber and Clark. Vol. 1, p. 174

28. JANNETJEN (JANE) (4) VAN ETTEN, Jacobus (3) see no. 14
b. or bp. Apr. 11, 1726 or Apr. 20, 1729 (latter date in Hoe's)
m. "March 23, 1750 Manuel Gonsales, widower of Rachel Louw, dwelling at Memmekatting to Jannetje Van Etten, young woman, born at Nepenack and dwelling at Nameback, married the 23d ditto."
From the list of marriages performed by Rev. J.C. Fryenmuth. Children from the Minisink Records - there were probably more but the following are all that are recorded there.
Manuel (Emanuel) was prob. a brother of Maria Gonsales who m. Capt. Johannes V.E.

Children: GONSALES

- i. Elisabeth Feb. 10, 1751 wit: Daniel Gonsales and Elizabeth Van Vliet.
- ii. Maria bp. Aug. 16, 1752 " Johannes Van Etten and Maria Gunsales syn Huys vr.

- iii. Sara 1754, wit: Dirk Van Etten and Sarah Van Etten
- iv. Samuel b. June 19, bp. Sept. 26, 1771 by Dr. Romien

29. JOHANNES (4) VAN ETTEN, Jacobus (3) see no. 14, born Jan. 2/1732 (authorities agree that he was b. 1731/32), child of Jacobus and Anna (Westbrook) Van Etten, in Namenock, Sussex Co. N.J. He died Feb. 15, 1815 in Delaware Twp. Pike Co. Pa. in his 83 year. He was a Captain in the Pa. militia during the revolution. (service qv.)
 Married 1st, May 18, 1750 by Cornelius Depuy, JP at Napenock, N.Y. to Maria, daughter of Emanuel and Rachel (Quick) Gonsalus; she was born about 1734. They settled about 1750 in Delaware Twp., Pike Co. Pa. (Dutch Ch. Rec, Warwarsing.)

In the Northampton Co. wills on p. 823 the will of Daniel Decker of Delaware Twp. was administrated in April 9, 1778. Rachel Decker was his widow; Capt. John Vanetten and Elias Decker were the administrators and in the inventory of March 13, 1778 Capt. Johannes Vanetten figured. Here we have the names Capt. John and Capt. Johannes in the same document but they could have been the same person. In the will of Benjamin Decker of Delaware Twp. and Upper Smithfield he mentions his daughter Yoneche, wife of Elias Decker and leaves to her "all my household furniture (except only my beloved wife's chest by her before her death bestowed on her son Samuel), and all in said chest except sheets and bed clothes that are therein now at Johannes Vanetten's." Benjamin also mentions Daniel Decker's children Lenah, Benjamin (only son), Leah, youngest daughter.

Johannes Van Etten married as his second wife, the widow of Daniel Decker whose maiden name was Rachel Williams.

Many of the children of the first marriage moved to Tioga County, New York and settled in Van Ettenville, now known as Van Etten. His children are named in "Olde Ulster." The children of the 2nd wife Rachel, lived and died along the Delaware river in Pike Co. Pa. The papers are missing from the file #3033 at Easton, Pa. in the administration of Johannes Van Etten's estate - Inventory and appr. 1815, administrator Andrew Lomson, bond signed 1815.

Johannes and wife Rachel were buried on the Van Etten farm in the family burial plot, Delaware township, Pike Co. Pa. (now, 1947 the Maria Zimmerman farm). Several years ago their remains were removed to the cemetery at Milford. The foot stones "J.V.&R.V." still remain on the farm plot. The grave of the first wife Maria Gonsales has not been located but it is believed that she too was buried there on the farm.

In 1745 William Allen, merchant of Philadelphia, conveyed a tract of land in Delaware township opposite Namanock Islands in the Delaware river to Jacob Van Etten of the county of Morris in the eastern province of New Jersey. Through four generations the title and possession has remained with members of the family. Three great grand-daughters of Jacob now hold it and reside within a stones throw of the house of the first one of the name who settled in the country. This was Johannes Van Etten, son of Jacob, who was born at Namanock in N.J. about 1732 and upon his marriage he probably located in Pa. (Hist. of Wayne, Pike and Monroe Counties in Pa. by Matthews.)

On April 4, 1755 Johannes Van Etten received a land warrant for twenty-five acres in Northampton Co. (now Pike) Pa. and on April 11, 1785 received a warrant for 400 acres (Pa. Archives S. 3, V26). In 1767 he was deeded land by his brother John who resided in Forks twp. Northampton Co.. Capt. Johannes had a stockade around his home in Delaware Twp. during the French and Indian war; he mustered soldiers at Ft. Penn (Stroudsburg) Jan. 15, 1781 with Col. Jacob Stroud; he was in the Northampton Co. Militia from June 15, 1780 to Jan. 15, 1781; was Capt. of the 5th battalion Northampton Co. Mil. 1782; also at Ft. Penn May 27, 1782; his son John served as Ensign under him at this time; he fought under Gen'l Anthony Wayne and in the Battle of Brandywine nearly one half of his company fell in this battle; he commanded a company of mil. in the battle of Conoshaugh, fought with the Indians July 21, 1780 and the same month was commissioned captain of Volunteers. The fight between his company and the Indians in which three of his sons, James, John and Manual and his son-in-law Benjamin Ennis were engaged was near Philip McCarte's, just below the Raymondskill on the banks of the Delaware, two miles below Wells Ferry (Milford), Pa. His company's organization kept up until 1785 when they went to Wyoming to quell the Indian outrages; on June 14, 1780 in a letter to Pres. Reed, Lt. Samuel Rea wrote to Pres. Reed that he had filled a commission of Capt. Johannes Van Etten. Also a letter written by John Van Campen to Pres. Reed April 24, 1780 copy of which follows.

The Orig. Muster Roll of Capt. Johannes V.E.'s Co. at Ft. Penn (Stroudsburg) dated 1781? was recently presented to the Monroe Co. Hist. So. Signed by Capt. Johannes and Lt. Col. Jacob Stroud but all handwriting seems to have been of one man.

John VanCampen to Pres. Reed, 1780

Lower Smithfield
April the 24th, 1780

Hon'd Sir,

I hope my last by Mr. Mixer is Come to hand informing you of the cursions of the Indians at the house of Manuel Gunsalyes. I herewith inform your honour of their later attempts. James McCarte with his family was Removed to the Jersey, on the 20th Instant his Sons went to their home to feed the Cattle, Discovered signs of Indians, Returned to the Jersey Immediately & acquainted Major Westbrook and Captain Westbrook the signs they had Discovered, they Sent Immediately for some of their best men & Croos'd the River that night, about sun rise the morning following Discovered the Indians Nigh the Barnn and began the attack; the number of Enemy is supposed to be about fourteen; the Major Received no Damage to his party; the Indians retreated to the woods; the major was reinforced by Capt. Vannetten, with three of his sons & son in law, Pursued the Indians by the Blood, & about two miles Came up with them. As it is without Doubt three of them was wounded, Renewed the attack, Drove the Indians in a few minutes, they ran to the edge of a thick wood; Captain Vannetten maintained his Ground with his few men, the Major with his men also, Captain Westbrook's men left him at the first fire from the Enemy in the woods; which was the ruin of the whole; but the ground maintained for some time & the retreat secured by the Major & Vannetten, Kill'd & missing on the part of the Major & Vannetten, Captain Westbrook missing, not yet found, Benjamin Ennis kill'd, son in law to Capt. Vannetten; Richard Rosekrans kill'd and two more wounded. Of the Enemy Kill'd, two found, one an officer, appearing by his Dress, found in his pocket a Regular Journal from the first of March until the 16th Inst., as appears by his Journal there is three hundred & Ninety marched from Niagagari, divided into Different parties, the Officer was a White man.

Respective Sir,

I'Me now under Difficulties of mind, what the Event will be God only knows, the people are Determined to Evacuate the Country, as there appears no prospect of Relief by the militia.

I am sir, with Due Respect,
Your most Huble servt.,

JOHN VANCAMPEN.

P.S. The said McCartee, where the attack began, is about two miles Below Wells' ferry, on the Banks of Delaware.

Capt. Vannatten lives in Delaware Township, one mile Below McCartee's.

Directed.

To his Excellency, Joseph Reed, President of the Executive Council, Philadelphia.

Letter copied verbatim from Ser. 1, Vol. VIII Pa. Arch. p. 202.

"Nearly the whole of Capt. Johannes Van Etten's Company must have been from the region now in Monroe and Pike Counties. That the company was in the battle of Brandywine, Sept. 11, 1777, is evident from the number of casualties indicated on that date. The survivors were on duty as rangers in the upper Northampton in 1781-82. Following is the roll as it appeared in 1781, when on duty, specified, together with the killed Sept. 11, 1777. I do solemnly swear that the within muster roll is a true state of the company without fraud to the United States or any individual to the best of my knowledge.

Johannes Van Etten, Capt. Jacob Stroud, Lieut. Co. mustered at Ft. Penn, Jan. 15, 1781 in the absence of the Muster Master. Jacob Stroud. Lieut. Col."

(Note: Ft. Penn was built on the site of Stroudsburg, Pa. early in the Revolution, probably in 1776-77)

Copied from p. 78 of Matthew's history of Wayne, Pike and Monroe counties, Pa.

From a footnote in Vol. 2, History of Wilkes-barre and Wyoming Valley's in Pa. by Harvey. p. 852. "Capt. Johannes Van Etten had been commissioned May 22, 1775 Capt. of a Delaware company of the Northampton Co. association, He resided there some three or four miles below Well's (Milford) Ferry (North of Dingman's Ferry) within the bounds of Westmoreland (Litchfield Co. Conn.) and during the Revolutionary War his house was stockaded and was known as Van Etten's fort. Capt. Van Etten's company of Northampton Militia was composed of inhabitants of the northern part of the county."

(From another source) "The Westmoreland men met at Wilkes-barre and refused to join Capt. Van Etten's men because they were from Northampton."

Dingman's Ferry is now located in Delaware Township, Pike Co. Pa. Heitman's Historical register, p. 556, "Johannes Van Etten, Capt. Pa. militia, 1781." (Could have been either Johannes 1732) or his son John, b. 1759.

Excerpt from a letter from Mrs. Horace G. Walters, Curator, Monroe County Historical Society, Stroudsburg, Pa. to Eva A. Scott-not dated-about 1943.

"I was very happy to receive your letter relative to the Van Etten family. I am a Van Etten descendant through at least five different lines. For a number of years I have been gathering material which some time I hope to have printed, as there has never been a complete record of the family published, at least not to my knowledge.

My grandmother who lived with us all her life was a Van Etten. Her home was near Milford, Pike Co. Pa. on land owned by the Van Etten family from 1745, until the death of her father Daniel Ennis Van Etten in 1880. Her mother was Lucinda Van Gorden. The original tract had been subdivided, down through the several generations.

As a child I was always fascinated by the stories she related of her early family life. I have some lovely rush bottom chairs which came from her father's home. I descend through the Jacob Van Etten bp Dec. 25, 1696 at Kingston, N.Y. who married Antjen Westbrook on April 22, 1719 and his son Johannes b 1732 who m. (1) Maria Gonzales and through his son Johannes Jr (b. 1759), both captains in the Revolution. Johannes b 1732 d 1815 is buried beside his 2nd wife Rachel Williams, in the Milford, Pike Co. cemetery. They have been unable to find the burial place of his first wife. A descendant of the second wife had the bodies removed and reinterred in the Milford Cemetery from a private burial ground on the farm now owned by Marie Zimmerman (1947), along the Delaware river. I joined the Daughters of the American Revolution through Capt. Johannes Sr. and his son Johannes Jr.; Johannes Sr. had a fort around his home in Del. Twp. Pike Co., near Milford during the French and Indian war (1756-70). He was not a pensioner but Johannes Jr. received a pension for Rev. War service. My grandmother Van Etten's Bible goes back for about four generations, so that I was able to trace the line without too much difficulty."

(Note: Mrs. Lila Huddy said that Benjamin Franklin gave the land along the Delaware in Pike Co. Pa. to Capt. Johannes for services rendered in the battle of Brandywine.)

Walter's letter continued...

"In going over some unlisted pamphlets in our Historical Society, I ran across the following several years ago: 'Official historical guide to Sugar Loaf Massacre Commemoration, Sept. 9, 1933 - dedicated to the memory of those heroic patriots and pioneers who perished in the tragic Sugar Loaf Massacre on Sept. 11, 1780.' Sugar Loaf mountain, which originally gave its name to the valley now known as Conyngham Valley, lies between the Nescopack Gap and the city of Hazelton in Luzerne Co. Pa. A bronze memorial tablet was unveiled here that day to commemorate this massacre. It bears the name of Capt. John Van Etten and his company of Northampton Co. Militia."

Quoting Judge Amos Van Etten, a desc. of Capt. Johannes "I have not found the birth or baptism of Johannes. He was buried on the Van Etten farm in Del. Twp., Northampton Co. Pa. in a family burial plot marked with a tombstone, 'died Feb. 15, 1815 in his 83 year of his age.' A few years ago his remains were removed to a cemetery in Milford where they now lie (near Port Jervis). I have deeds and other papers proving he was a son of Jacob and a brother to Jan. Both Jan and Johannes were captains in the Revolution in Pa. militia."

And from Dr. Andrew O. English of Monrovia Cal. "Perhaps you have noted in the Pa. Arch. that the historian thought that Jan and Johannes were father and son; however they were brothers."

The "Oaths of Allegiance of Northampton County, 1777-1784" record two John Van Ettens as having taken this oath; John Van Etten, Jr., of Upper Smithfield Township, August 25, 1777, before James Van Aken, and John Van Etten, Jr., before Benjamin Depue, Dec. 22, 1777.

Children of Johannes (4) and Maria (Gonsalus) Van Etten:

44. i. Magdalena bp Oct. 6, 1751 m. Benj. Ennis
 - ii. Emanuel (Manuel) bp June 2, 1754. His will recorded in Probate book C. p. 119, Tioga County, N.Y. probated Aug. 1824 and states that he was not married, leaves all his property to his brother James. However an Emanuel Van Etten m. Nov. 9, 1788 in the Minisink Church, a dau. of Abraham Shimer, named Maria and he was assessed with a family of four in Delaware Twp. Northampton Co. Pa. which could have been this Manuel. Abraham Shimer's will was probated Oct. 14, 1805 Montague Twp. Sussex Co. N.J. Manuel had Revolutionary service.
 45. iii. Rymerick (Rachel or Rima) bp. Apr. 14, 1756 d. Mar. 29, 1816, m. Banardus Swartwout
 46. iv. Johannes Jr. bp 1759 Walpack, N.J. d. 1808 m. Cornelia Decker
 47. v. Jacobus bp Jan. 18, 1761 d. 1808; m. Maria Shick
 48. vi. Elizabeth b 1762 bp. Feb. 2, 1763 d. Mar. 30, 1813 m. Moses Van Gorden
 49. vii. Anthony b 1763 m. Magdalena Van Etten
 50. viii. Maria b abt 1766 m. Gideon Cole
 51. ix. Catherine bp Apr. 29, 1772 m. Jacob Swartwout
 52. x. Simeon bp Nov. 25, 1776 m. Cornelia Dingham
 - children of Johannes and Rachel (Williams-Decker) Van Etten:
 53. xi. Daniel b 1780 bp Aug. 19, 1781 m. Caty Decker
 54. xii. Cornelius b Dec. 8, 1782 d. Jan. 22, 1860; m. Anna Smith
 55. xiii. Solomon b Feb. 12, 1789 m. Caty Rosenkrans
 56. xiv. Dorothy m. John Lattimore
30. SARAH VAN ETTEN (4) Jacobus 3, See no. 14.
bp. May 19, 1736 at Minisink
m. April 13, 1750 Jacobus Van Sickel, young man, born in Readingtown and dwelling there, to Sara van Aken, young woman, born at Rochester and dwelling at Shippekonk, married the 15th ditto.

children:

- i. Johannes Casparus bp Sept. 23, 1750 wit. J.C. Fryenmuth and wife Magdalena Van Etten.

we find where Jacobus and Sarah were witnesses several times on various baptisms but do not find any more children's

records for them in the Minisink records. His name is spelled Sickele, Sickkle, Sickel, etc., and hers van Ake, Van Aken and Van Etten.

31. RICHARD VAN ETTEN (4) Jacobus 3, See no. 14, bp May 29, 1739 (Minisink rec.) at Port Jervis or Namanock, N.J. m. Aug. 11, 1758 at Deer Park, Rusje Westfall b Pekeepsingh. They had five children all bp at Port Jervis.
- i. Sarah bp 8/19/1759 Jacob and Sarah V. Etten, wit.
 - ii. Joseph bp. 10/17/1761
 - iii. Petrus bp. 9/18/1763
 - iv. Sarah bp. 3/22/1766
 - v. James McCarte bp. 11/25/1767

There is a will filed, no. 513, at Easton that is believed to have been Richard's. Of Plainfield twp. wife Rosina, Inv. and Appr. Apr. 5, 1770 - by Caspar Doll and Simon Heller for 311 L.3.6. Bond dated Apr. 6, 1770, Signed Rosina Van Etten, John Van Etten of Forks Twp. Simon Heller of Plainfield Twp. for 600 L. Settled Mar. 21, 1771.

32. Elisha⁴ Decker, Annetje³, Jan², Jacob¹ (see no. 16); bp. May 29, 1739; d. post 1814. m. Eva Dingman, bp. July 12, 1747, dau. of Andrew Dingman, Sr. Both men served in the Rev. War under Capt. Johannes Van Etten, Sr. Elisha Decker res. in Del. Twp. Pike Co. Pa.

Children: DECKER

- i. Andries bp June 13, 1762 m. Elizabeth Engles (English)
- ii. Cornelia bp Feb. 23, 1766 m. 1st Johannes Van Etten Jr., 2nd Daniel LaBar of Shawnee, Pa. a Rev. Sol.
- iii. John b Feb. 28, bp. Apr. 30 1773
- iv. Antie bp June 15, 1775
- v. James bp June 8, 1777
- vi. Hendrikus b Mar. 16, 1779 bp. Aug. 25, 1781
- vii. Cattrina bp Feb. 23, 1782

33. MARIA⁴ Roosa, Catherine V.E. Roosa³, see no. 20; bp 24 March 1749. m. 1771 to Johannes Rosencrans, b. 1744 in Huguenot, N.Y. (a Rev. Sol.) son of Jacobus and Sara Dekker Rosencrans.

Children, Rosencrans:

- i. Catherine b 1773 Orange Co. N.Y.
- ii. Abraham b 1780 " "
- iii. Isaac b 1782 " "
- 57. iv. Rebecca b 1784, d. 1819 Orange Co.
- v. John b 1785

vi. Jacob b 1786

vii. Joanna b 1788

This family moved to Plains, Luzerne Co. Pa. and thence to Delaware Co. Ohio in 1809.

34. ARIE (4) VAN ETTEN, Jacobus (3) see no. 22; bp. Aug. 14, 1720; m. at Katsbann 26 Nov. 1748 Christina (Sylvester) DeWitt, dau. of Patrus DeW. both parties res. in Ulster. Arie was a signer of the Articles of Association in 1775. Ref. "Olde Ulster" V.2 for marriage. Baptisms of their children are given in the Katsbaan Church records. Sylvester's Ulster Co. Hist. p. 117 states Aaron was the son of Patrus, b 1717, (according to the family Bible) at Rhinebeck. But which Aaron? He moved from Rhinebeck to Saugerties (Platekill, Flat Creek now Fish Creek). He was six feet in height.

Ch:

Maria bp. Oct. 4, 1755

58. John bp. June 5, 1759 b. 31 May. m. Maria Falkenberg

Jacobus bp. Mar. 29, 1764

Elias bp. Aug. 26, 1766

See Miscellanea.

Chapter 5

FIFTH GENERATION

35. HELENA (5) VAN ETTEN, JAN (4), see no. 24.
bp. Nov. 1, 1738 Deerpark (Min. rec. p. 99)
m. 1 Jan. 1757 Jacob Helm. m. performed by A.V. Van Etten,
J.P. (p. 271 Min. Rec.)
- Ch: HELM
- i. Maria bp 4/20/1760, wit: Jacob V.E. and Maria Helm
 - ii. Samuel bp 10/17/1761 wit: John V.E. and Margaret
 - iii. Selette 12/11/1763
 - iv. Catrina 7/1/1768
 - v. Elizabeth b. 7/28/1771 (p. 23 Min. Rec. to Antje and
Jacob Helm - perhaps an error)
 - vi. Rymerig 11/16/1774 wit: Manuel V.E. and Rymerig V.E.
 - vii. Hester 6/23/1778
 - viii. Jacob 5/5/1785
36. JACOB (5) VAN ETTEN, Jan (4); see no. 24
bp. 17 June, 1740 (Min. rec.); d. 6 July, 1825 aged 85 yrs. and
17 days. m. 13 Jan. 1763 Jane Louw, dau. of Abraham who in
1738 m. Dinah Cuddeback. Jane did not live long after her
marriage for in May of 1781 Jacob took as his second wife
the young Sarah Decker, dau. of Peter; b. 1764 Sussex Co. N.J.
and died in Wayne Co. N.Y. 12-1-1844 aged 87. (death rec.
Surrogate records Wayne Co. p. 437)
- Ch: Jane Mother of the first three
- i. Diana b 9-30-1767 m. rec. Min. Ch. rec. p. 153 Daniel
Van Gordan and Naomie Louw, wit: m. to Jacob Cudde-
back. See D.A.R. lineage rec. 36421 - gives no dates.
In Min. Rec. are the bp. of Isaac b 6-30-1810; Joseph
b. 4-22-1812 and Naomy b 8-31-1813 and find no others
there, but a dau. Esther m. Peter E. Gumaer.
 - ii. Margaret b. 2-18-1772 (p. 160 Min.) wit: Martinus West-
brook and Margaret Louw
 - iii. Sarah (not in Min. Rec. but in Cuddeback genealogy)
 - iv. John b 1782 (p. 173 Min. bt no other date or wit. given)
 - 59. v. Peter b. 2-17-1784 m. Polly Pitcher (see 6th gen.)
 - vi. Daniel perhaps m. to Margaret Cuddeback - a dau.
Hannah b 1811, Daniel testified for his mother's pension

- vii. Jane m. Van Inwegen (p. 262 Min.) gives James S. Van Inwegen and wife Jane (no maiden name given) dau.
b. 7-19-1823 called Jemima Hornbeck
- viii. Jacob
 - ix. Margaret m. --- Vanderkan
 - x. Henry
 - xi. Catherine (see Min. rec. p. 279, perhaps this Cath.)
 - xii. Samuel (" " " p. 279, " " Samuel)

Copy of the pension record W 21 104 Van Etten, Jacob.

November 11, 1838 appeared before the judge of court of Wayne Co., New York, Sarah Van Etten, resident of Lyons, Wayne County aged 74 years in July 1838, to obtain benefit of provision made by act of Congress, July 4, 1836. She stated that she was the widow of Jacob Van Etten, who was lieutenant in militia of New Jersey and served in the Revolution; and according to her recollection and belief, her late husband served as Lieut. in Capt. Abraham Shimer's company of militia, Col. Rosencrantz's reg't, in spring of 1777, in or about March, for at least 8 days, and served along the Delaware River on borders of New Jersey and New York. In spring of 1778, he again went into service as Lieut. in same Co. and served three months under Major Kortwright. Late in June of same year, the same company was called into service again under Major Westbrook, serving on western frontiers of New Jersey along the Delaware for about three months. Was discharged early in Oct. 1778. Later in October, the same company was called under Col. Seward, serving against the Tories and Indians for at least two weeks, Jacob still Lieut. April 1779, Capt. Shimer company was called and did duty until 1st of November. Also Jacob was in the same company until April, 1780, until Nov. 1, Major Westbrook's Battalion, Col. Rosencrantz's Regt. And from April, 1781, Jacob continued to serve as Lieut. in this company until the last of the following October. Again in spring of 1782, he served at least three months in same company and Regt.

Sarah further testified that Jacob had resided in Montague Sussex Co. N.J., during all the time before these services were performed; that she was brought up in the same town with him and lived within two miles of where he had resided before their marriage in May, 1781; that he died July 16, 1825; and that she had remained a widow since that time.

(signed) William Sisson, first Judge
Danile Van Etten, witness.

Elizabeth Kortwright testified that Sarah Decker was a daughter of Peter Decker, that she had lived near them, and

was present at their marriage, the third Saturday in May, 1781 (she believed it was May 20th). (Note: she wasn't far off - as figuring by a universal calendar the 3rd Saturday as being May 19th.)

Levi Van Etten of Deerpark, Orange Co. N.Y., testified that this Sarah Decker was a "Full cousin" of his.

In November 11, 1854, in asking for a continuance of Sarah's pension, for her children, after death of his mother, Peter Van Etten of Sodus, who was in charge of her affairs, testified that the living children of Jacob and Sarah were: Peter, Daniel, Jane Van Inwegen, Jacob, Margaret Vanderkan and Henry. He also swore that the Bible record was a true copy of date of his birth. (Feb. 17, 1784)

Mrs. Carroll W. Brown, 1610 North Edgewood St. Arlington, Va. a genealogist - in looking up these records writes: "a part of a page from an old Bible had been torn out. It bore this record - 'Peter Van Etten and Poley Pitcher was married Dec. 25, 1813. Peter Van Etten was born Feb. 17, 1784.' And on the reverse of this was: 'Jacob Van Etten died July 6, 1825 aged 85 years and 17 days.'"

Sarah Decker was bp 24 Je, 1763 (Min. Rec.) dau. of Peter and Catherine (Cool) Decker. Sponsors were Sarah Cool and Josephus Cool (brother and sister of Catherine). Peter Decker was the son of Thomas and Jane Van Imwegen Decker, g.s. of Henry and Anna (Quick) and g. g.s. of Jan Gerritse (Decker) and Margaret Hendricks Westercamp.

A deed recorded in Sussex Co. N.J. court house, Newton, N.J. date 5/1/1800, tells of conveyance of land formerly owned by Jacob (5) Van Etten and wife and conveyed 5/23/1789, to Jacob Cuddeback, indicating that Jacob V.E. Prob. removed to Wayne Co. between 1789 and 1800.

Catherine Cool (above) was the dau. of John Cole and Peternella Van Aken, g.d. of William Cole and Catharine Dubois.

37. DANIEL VAN ETTEN (5), Jan 4, see no. 24.

b. 7/5/1742 in N.Jersey, and died in Plainfield Twp. Northampton Co. Pa. 1774, while ploughing in his field. He was twice married as his will (no. 695), probated at Easton and made Aug. 6, 1774, states. The will mentions his wife Mary, one son Ferdinandes to be paid five shillings when at the age of twenty one "Whom I do not own" son of my first wife; my two children Maratie and John VanEtten. The executors of the will were Manuel Gonsalus of Delaware Twp. and Isaac Van Campen of Wallpack twp. The witnesses were Johannes Van Etten, James Westfall and Joseph Chesnor.

On page 148 Vol. 5 of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Record, of April 27, 1765 is the birth of Ferdinandes given as follows: "Daniel Van Etten and Lydia Westbrook-Ferdenandes - Witnesses or God Parents, Joseph or James and Deborah Westbrook."

The New Jersey Colonial Documents - newspaper extracts - Archives Vol. 24 1st series p. 688 "Whereas Lydia, the wife of Daniel Van Etten, of Sandy Township, Sussex County, N.J., has not behaved to her said husband as she ought to have done; he therefor hereby gives notice to all persons, not to credit her on his account, as he is determined to pay no debts on her contracting, after the date hereof. October 19, 1765. (signed) Daniel Van Etten.

For Daniel's second marriage his choice was Mary Brink. She was born in 1742; whether it was her first marriage venture or not nor of her parentage the compiler has no record as yet; she was the mother of Daniel's two children mentioned in his will. In the year 1772 Daniel Van Etten, farmer, is on the proprietary tax list in Plainfield twp. for three pounds and John (no doubt his father) in Forks twp. for eight pounds.

After Daniel's death, Mary the widow, after the marriage of her son John to Anna LaBar, came with her children to Ohio and settled in what is now Milton Township, Mahoning Co. but then Trumbull Co. where she died, and was one of the first few to be buried in Newton Township at Pricetown church Inscription on the slab marker (still in fine condition in 1947) - "Here lies the body of Mary Van Etten died Feb. 17, 1815 being 73 years of age. She has gone to her mother clay there to lie til she is born again till the resurrection of the great day." Who would place such a verse but her loving children. No recollections of her disposition or likeness have been handed down to her great grandchildren.

In the N.Y. Gen. and Biog. rec. Vol. 5 of the Minisink Church records there is the following marriage: Verdenant Van Etten to Sarah Westbrook on Oct. 29, 1787 by Rev. E. Van Brunschoeten.

The Marriage record of Daniel to Mary Brink so far has not been found. The second child called Moratie in the will was the daughter Mary who also came to Ohio with the mother and brother and the family record states that she afterward married Adam Turner. It is believed that Mary and Adam Turner went further west in Ohio, perhaps to Wood Co. For record of the son John see the 6th generation.

From the history of Wilkesbarre and the Wyoming Valley by Harvey, 1909, Luzerne Co. Pa. p. 633 Vol. II appears the

following: "At the time of the capitulation and evacuation of Fort Durkee, Sheriff Jennings and his assistants obtained the names of a number of those who just previously had been or were then, inmates of the fort. Those names, some of them evidently crippled and disguised by their bad spelling - are contained in an original unpublished document now in the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. It is endorsed 'Warrant sur Process forcible entry and detainer, sur indictment, issued out of the county court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace held at Easton, in Northampton Co. Pa.' It is dated Dec. 21st in the tenth year of the reign of King George III (1769) - is signed by George Taylor, Judge, and Lewis Gordon, clerk: It is made returnable March 20, 1770, and directs the sheriff of Northampton Co. to take and convey before said court, etc., the following named persons, 89 in number, and among those listed is the name of Daniel Van Etten."

Children:

- i. Ferdenandus m. Sarah Westbrook. Pa. Arch. S. 3 V. 20, p. 770 lists a Ferdinand Vanaten - 100 acres - Wayne twp. Cumberland Co. tax, 1785. Perhaps this one.
 - ii. Mary who m. Adam Turner
 - 60. iii. John m. Anna LaBar
38. MARGARETHA (5) VAN ETTEN, Jan (4), see no. 24
 bp. Nov. 5/1752, the last child born to Jan and Mary (Westfall) V.E. The baptismal witnesses were Johannes V.E. and Maria Gunsales, his wife. Margaretha joined the Minisink Church in 1787 and her children were bp. there. She m. June 22, 1770 JOSEPH ENNIS, bp. Aug. 18, 1751 son of William and Elisabeth (Quick) Ennis.
- ch: ENNIS
- i. Elizabeth 2/10/1773
 - ii. Wilhelmus 9/1/1775 (p. 166 Min. Rec.) m. Dec. 1796
 Maria Ennis and had a dau. Elizabeth b. 9/9/1800
 - iii. John 1/24/1778
 - iv. Joseph May 1786
 - v. Daniel 9/21/1788
 - vi. Catherine 5/27/1791
39. ANTJE VAN ETTEN (5) Cornelius (4) see no. 26.
 b. Nov. 30, 1746
 m. Jacobus Van Gorden
 children listed in the Minisink records, with the grandparents given as witnesses.
- 1. child bp. 12/2/1764

2. Johannis, b. 26 Mar. 1769 wit: Johannes Jr. and Grietje Westfall on Apr. 27, '69
3. Gideon b. Oct. 17, 1773
4. Sara 11/25/1776
5. Mary 11/1/1780
6. Jacobus 4/29/1789

Also see Van Gorden notes in Miscellanea.

40. ANTIE (ANNA)(5) VAN ETTEN, Anthony (4) see no. 27.
 bp. 14 Jan. 1753, Minisink; d. 1800
 m. Moses Cortright
 DAR Report 1940-41 of Senate Doc., 146 Congress, p. 180 mentions a Van Etten cemetery at Owasco, N.Y. and Moses Cortright as a Rev. Sol. (see N.S.D.A.R. #114,840 and 127,840).

Ch: surname CORTRIGHT

- i. Annatje 14 Oct. 1770 Minisink Rec.
- ii. Levi 27 Aug. 1772 " "
- iii. Safferyn 29 Oct. 1780 " "
- iv. Maria 22 June 1783 " "
- v. Martin (1791-1860) m. 2nd Sally Bigelow
- vi. Isiah (1796-1868) m. 1820 Hannah Depuy and their dau.
 Sally Ann (1826-1913) m. 1862 James Dawson. They lived in Michigan.

41. LEVI (5) VAN ETTEN, Anthony (4) see no. 27
 b. 7/12/1757 bp. Dec. 12, 1758 at Deerpark; d. Oct. 23, 1843.
 He served as a private in the Otange Co. Mil. in the 3rd Reg't and was also an associator; received bounty lands.
 m. 27 Nov. 1777 Jane Westbrook, dau. of Jacob and Lydia (N.J. Arch. 1st S. Vol. 35 p. 433). Jane was b. Nov. 1757 and d. 12-23-1837. They moved to Michigan from Owasco, Cayuga Co. N.Y. Levi was one of the first settlers in Mich. and built a saw mill, but later a flood carried out the dam and he abandoned the mill, then removed to Ausable, Mich. The lake called "Van Etten" in Mich. was so called for him. His sister Anna visited him in Mich. She left a diary of her trip which is very interesting. A copy of this diary is in the possession of the Western Reserve Hist. So. in Cleveland, O.

Ch. of Levi and Jane:

- i. Jacob b. Oct. 27, 1779 bp. Oct. 29, 1780; m. Oct. 27, 1799 to Charity Gumaer. (Lived Owasco, N.Y.) their ch. were:
 Peter Gumaer b. 7/21/1800; Jane Dec. 20, 1803; Huldah Apr. 3, 1812; Simon Middagh Dec. 3, 1810; Charity, and Persilly b. May 30, 1818.
61. ii. Solomon, b. 1/23/1782 d. 1870 (see 6th gen.)

- iii. a son b. 6/7/1784
- iv. Jane b. July 1785 d. Apr. 25, 1796
- v. Blandina 1788-1867 m. 12-26-1805 Benj. Cuddeback Jr.
(see DAR no. 94054)
- 62. vi. Levi, Jr. b. Aug. 13 or 30, 1790 (see 6th gen.)
- vii. John b. 1/14/1793
- viii. Thomas b. May 9, 1795 m. 8-15-1816 Sally Van Aaken
(1st Cousin). He was a farmer at Deerpark; Sally was
the dau. of Evert and Sarah (Westbrook) Van Auken (see
Cuddeback Gen.) A dau. Sarah m. Hon. Thomas J. Lyon
of Port Jervis. She d. 1/27/1920
- ix. Hannah b. 8/4/1797 d. 6/14/1798

The compiler is indebted to Mr. W.G. Van Etten of Men-
dota, Ill. for the family of Levi.

Ref: Bergen's Gen. of So. N.Y. p. 260

W.J. Coulter's publications

Hist. of Orange Co. N.Y., 1881, Ruttenbar and L.H. Clark

Ann Van Etten Diary

Cuddeback Gen.

January 23, 1940

Dear Miss Scott:

Mr. Amley has handed me your letter of the 16th with a request that I answer it. He does this, I presume, because I happen to be about the oldest resident.

I wish that more was known about the Van Etten, concerning whom you inquire, who gave his name to the beautiful inland lake not far from our village. In early records and maps this little body of water is called Pine Lake and we are grateful to Mr. Van Etten for coming along and changing it for there is no end to the Pine, Cedar, and Spruce Lakes, we have yet to hear of another named Van Etten.

We know there was a man here named Van Etten, the lake and the creek flowing out of it bear witness to that, but from whence he came, how long he remained and where he went to, no one knows. I am quite familiar with land title records in this locality and I have never found any record of property at any time owned by a person named Van Etten. And this is surprising too because he built a saw mill on Van Etten Creek just where it flows out of the lake of that name and there is no record whatever of his ever having owned the property on which the mill was built. One would think also that the owner of a saw mill would own lands from which to cut the logs to supply his mill, but the records fail to disclose his owning such land.

It must have been long before the Civil War that he located here for when I came, to Au Sable in 1866, a lad of eight, there were a few posts or small piling in the bottom of the creek that we were told a

part of the dam built by Van Etten to furnish water power for his mill. I never saw any trace of the mill. The story told us then was that they finished the mill one evening and early the next morning started it up and sawed part of one log. Then they went for their breakfast. When they returned it was found the dam had gone out and the foundation of the mill washed away.

In an historical address delivered here in 1906 at a Home Coming Celebration the speaker said: As early as 1834 the great forests of this district began to attract meager attention and that year (1834) a saw mill was built at Van Etten Lake by the firm of Howard and Van Etten. A great deal of money was expended in building a water mill, but after their dam had been carried away or undermined a number of times, they abandoned the project, not having sawed a log.

I don't know where the speaker secured his information and I think he drew on his imagination when he tells of a large amount of money being invested. To my notion the mill must have been small and of very limited capacity with perhaps a single upright or "Muley" saw. The only market for the product of their mill, and that a limited one, would have been the little village at the mouth of the Au Sable River. Probably they planned to float the lumber down the creek, into the river and on to the village. This could have been done where the demand was not particular about the lumber being stained or discolored and sanded up so that it would be difficult to use a plane on it. Many million feet of logs were floated down this creek and into the river in later years.

I have been making inquiries, hoping to ascertain the given name of Mr. Van Etten but have met with no success.

Hoping this brief sketch may be of some interest to you, I am,

Yours very truly,

Edward F. Loud
Oscoda, Michigan

P. S. My mother's father was Alvin Kile who lived on a farm near Huntsburg, Ohio. He had a nephew named George Ernest Kile who lived in Painsville, Ohio and he married an Ella Van Etten. I do not know her home town.

42. THOMAS VAN ETTEN (5) bp. Oct. 16, 1768, d. 1839; Anthony (4), see no. 27.
m. July 17, 1788 Elisabeth Ennes (1768-1863)
dau. of Daniel (1745-1838) DAR. #57910.

Their children:

Daniel-----	baptised Dec. 28, 1788	born Nov. 8, 1788
Sally----	" Mar. 1, 1795	" July 1, 1795

William----	baptised June 4, 1797	born May 10, 1797
Maria----	" July 19, 1799	
Hannah----	" March 4, 1801	Mar. 4, 1801
Phoebe----	" Apr. 20, 1803	Jan. 11, 1803. d. 1888

married in 1833 Benj. T. Campbell (1800-65) as his 2nd wife. (p. 224 Minisink, see D.A.R. #10672 and 57910.

Levi----	baptised Dec. 11, 1808	born Sept. 6, 1805
Jonathan Dexter	Dec. 11, 1808	June 15, 1807

*Alexander----See below.

Alexander Van Etten married Catherine Quick on June 4, 1820 by John W. Loder - J. of P. - Montague, N.J.

Their children:

Alex-----

Crocker---

Joe----- never married. Died near Montague, N.J.

*Levi----- born Aug. 10, 1837

Jane----- married Archibald Brink of Milford, Pa.

John----- youngest, died in the Civil War

One daughter married and moved to Michigan.

Levi Van Etten married Mary Ann Weed on Mar. 25, 1868. Montague, N.J.

Their children:

*William Weed born Jan. 2, 1870

Carl Grenville and Cora Gertrude born July 18, 1873

Annie Keziah born Feb. 22, 1879

William W. Van Etten married Eva Conklin on June 7, 1899 at Vernon, N.J.

Their children:

*Carl Conklin born Sept. 24, 1901 at Chester, N.Y.

Ruth Elizabeth " Jan. 24, 1911 " " " to whom credit is given for this sketch.

Carl C. Van Etten married Florence E. Heim on Sept. 8, 1928 at Fairfield, Conn.

Their children:

Elizabeth Ann born May 13, 1930

Carl Heim " Sept. 8, 1936

43. ANTHONY (5) VAN ETTEN, Anthony (4) see no. 27; b. Deer-park after the death of his father on Mar. 30, 1779, fifth son and youngest child; was bp. Oct. 29, 1780. d. at Deerpark Jan. 30, 1821. A statement was found that soon after the war

of 1812 in which he served as a Lieut. in the N.Y. Mil., they removed to Ohio but most historians concede his death took place near Auburn, N.Y. in 1821, having been primarily hastened by a wound received in the battle of Black Rock, N.Y. (The birth place of the dau. Cath. is given as Ohio in 1811 - proof lacking.) He married at Deerpark Apr. 26, 1801 Jemima dau. of Benj. and Catrina (Van Vliet) Cuddeback. She was b. 8/10/1773 and d. 6/9/1861. In the obituary of Mrs. Benj. Van Etten published in the Port Jervis Gazette it states that Anthony lived and died near Auburn, N.Y. removing there from Deerpark. The list of children was copied from the New York Gen. and Biog. Record Vol. 30, p. 229.

- i. Hannah b. Deerpark May 31, 1802 m. 12/15/1819 Warren Austin; d. at Skaneateles Oct. 16, 1879
 - ii. Benjamin b. 2/28/1804 m. Aug. 1836 Amanda Grover. They rem. to Ill. in 1838. He died at Pecatonica, Ill. Apr. 24, 1881 and his wife d. Aug. 21, 1895 ae. 93 yrs. 10 mo. Their dau. Mrs. Frederick Lawton lived in Skaneateles, N.Y.
 - iii. Asemath b. Jan. 26, 1806 m. Jan. 25, 1826 William Howard; d. at Owasco, N.Y. Oct. 20, 1867
 - iv. Levi, b. Nov. 22, 1807; d. Owasco, Onondaga Co. 1/2/1891, single. He farmed the old homestead with his bro. Thomas.
 - v. Thomas b. 8/23/1809 d. Owasco, May 8, 1890; m. 1/19/1876 Jane E. Green and left no issue
 - vi. Catherine b. Ohio Sept. 14, 1811; m. Dec. 25, 1835 Martin Pierce Sweet; lived in Freeport, Ill. and in Clinton, Iowa ch: Martin Anthony who d. May 6, 1889; Julia Jemima b. 8/6/1843; Charles G. b. 3/17/1845. d. 7/17/1859; Catharine b. Oct. 10, 1847. d. Apr. 13, 1848; Thomas b. 8/3/1849; Venette, m. Joseph Addsion Crane; Mary Ellen b. 2/20/1852 and Caroline b. 12/13/1853. See Cuddebach Gen. p. 139.
 - vii. Simon b. 7/28/1814 d. May 10, 1891 m. 6/6/1853 Ann Hine; d. Pecatonica (Winnabago Co.) Ill. One son Frank.
 - viii. Mary 6/5/1816 d. 12/17/1869 m. 8/27/1837 Isreal H. Owen. d. at Auburn, N.Y. Ch: Holdridge Owen m. 1884 Jessie Ryder, Narcissa Owen m. William Taylor of Elbridge, N.Y.
63. ix. Ann b. 6/12/1819 in Owasco, N.Y. m. H.O. Collins.
44. MAGDALENA VAN ETTEN (5) Johannes 4, see no. 29; b. Oct. 6, 1751 m. Aug. 1769 (Minisink records) to Benjamin Ennis. He was killed by the Indians at the battle of Conoshaugh, July 21, 1780. (See account of Capt. Johannes)

Children: Minisink Records ENNIS

- i. Elisabeth b. 11/17/1769 bp. 1/14/1770. Wm. Ennes and Elizabeth Ennes, wits.
- ii. Alexander bp. April 29, 1772. Johannes Van Etten and Maria Gonsales, wits.
- iii. Johannes bp. May 23, 1774. Johannes Van Etten and Mary Counsoles, wits.
- iv. Maria bp. Nov. 25, 1776. Manel Van Etten and Maria Helm, wits.
- v. Benjamin, Aug. 19, 1781. No wit, probably posthumous as his father was killed in 1780.

All of these sons settled at Swartwood, Tioga Co. N.Y. in 1798. (p. 43, Asbury Church, Tioga Co. N.Y. by C. Cafferty)

45. RYMERICK (Rachel) (5) VAN ETTEN, Johannes (4) see no. 29.
 bp. Apr. 14, 1756 d. Mar. 29, 1816
 m. May 24, 1779 Barnardus Swartwood b. Nov. 27, 1759;
 d. Mar. 21, 1843. He had revolution service. Bur. Swartwood Cem., Pike Co. Pa.

Ch: SWARTWOOD (from family Bible)

- i. Mary b. Jan. 14, 1782
- ii. Elizabeth b. Dec. 20, 1785 m. Benj. Schoonover b. Oct. 23, 1781, bp. May 25, 1783
- iii. Simeon b. Feb. 4, 1787 m. Susannah Schoonover b. Sept. 30, 1785 bp. Apr. 30, 1786
- iv. Caty b. Dec. 27, 1788
- v. Alexander b. Feb. 20, 1791
- vi. John b. Nov. 24, 1793 d. Feb. 8, 1878 m. Mary--- she d. July 15, 1863, ae 66 yr. bur. Swartwood Cem., Pike Co.
- vii. Cornelia b. June 22, 1797 d. 1873 m. Daniel Schoonover, b. Aug. 16, 1794 d. 1877 (see p. 564 Hist. of N.E. Pa.)

46. JOHANNES (John) JR (5) VAN ETTEN, Johannes (4), see no. 29.
 bp. 1759 Walpack, N.J. and d. Aug. 1808

From the Veterans administration in Wash. D.C. was secured the following: "You are furnished herein the Revolution War record of John Van Etten, as found in claims for pension and bounty land and file under W 4474, based on his service in the war. The date and place of birth of John Van Etten are not shown. He was the son of Johannis (John), name of mother not shown. While residing on the Penn. side of the Delaware river in Northampton Co. Pa., John Van Etten served as an ensign or flag bearer under his father Capt. Johannis Van Etten, who had built a fort around his house on the west side of the Delaware River; he (John Jr) also served several months as Captain of a company of scouts. He was in the

battles of Long Island, Monmouth, and in two battles with the Indians, one on Coneshaw creek. No dates of service were stated. John Van Etten married March 16, 1780 in Northampton Co. Pa. Miss Cornelia Decker - she was born Jan. 17, 1766 place not shown, nor are the names of her parents given. John (Jr) Van Etten died sometime in August 1808 in Northampton Co. Pa. His widow, Cornelia V. Etten married in April 8, 1812 Daniel LaBar, (Jr. b. 1763 d. Feb. 16, 1846). The widow Cornelia LaBar, was allowed pension on account of the service of her husband, John Van Etten, on her application executed Feb. 25, 1846, at which time she was living in Smithfield Twp., Monroe Co. Pa. On account of his service, she was allowed, also 160 acres of bounty land on her application executed May 22, 1855, then living in Pahaquarry Twp. Warren Co. N.J. (Opposite Shawnee, Monroe Co. Pa.) She died Jan. 18, 1858," etc. Her body lies buried in an unmarked grave, at Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa. John Vanata believed to have been this John received 80 acres, Apr. 11, 1785 of a land warrant in Washington Co. Pa. (Arch. V. 26 S. 3. p. 616)

Their only child was

64. i. Johannes or John I. b. Feb. 7, 1782 bp. Aug. 16 and died Nov. 2, 1813. m. Catherine Kuykendale. see 6th gen. See Cuddebach Genealogy p. 99, no. 89. Believe an error as to the identity of John given here.

47. JACOBUS (5) VAN ETTEN, Johannes (4) see no. 29
b. Oct. 30, 1760; bp. 1/18/1761 Maghackemeck; d. Dec. 22, 1805. His will was probated Tioga Co. N.Y. 2/17/1806 Book A. of Wills, p. 113. m. 9/20/1783 Maria, dau. of Adam and Cornelia (Brink) Schick; she was b. 4/4/1762; d. Dec. 22, 1805.

Jacobus served in the revolution in his father's Company as follows: In a letter from John Van Campen to Pres. Reed, 1780, "The Major was reinforced by Capt. Vanatten, with three of his sons and a son-in-law. (James, Low dutch Jacobus, Johannes Jr. and Emanuel, son-in-law Benjamin Ennis.) In 1780 he fought under his father and in 1784 was in the 5th Bn of Northampton Co. Mil. under Col. Nicholas Kern on the expedition to Wyoming.

Adam Schick was also a Sergt. in Capt. Johannes Van Etten's Co. James was wounded in the battle with the Indians at Coneshaw Creek. He settled Van Ettenville N.Y. with his brother Emanuel about 1798 and the town is still known as Van Etten. He later moved to Shepherd's Creek, Chemung Co. N.Y.

Children: VAN ETTEN

- 65. i. Mary (Polly) b. Mar. 10, 1784 m. Thomas Baker
- ii. Jemimah b. Sept. 28, 1786 m. Joseph P. Langford
- 66. iii. Joshua b. Feb. 21, 1789 m. Eleanor (Laney) Swartwood
- iv. Elizabeth b. 3/15/1791
- v. John b. 6/19/1792 d. 6/9/1795
- 67. vi. Cornelia b. 5/23/1796 d. 1/22/1865 m. Hiram White
- vii. James Jr. 10/30/1798. (In the Van Etten Cem. at Chemung, N.Y. there is a James who d. 7/27/1866 ae 67 yr. 9 mo. with a wife Cath. d. 3/29/1884 ae 85 and 5 mo. which is prob. this James)
- 68. viii. Catherine (Caty) b. 4/17/1801 m. Samuel English
- ix. Hannah b. 6/20/1803

NOTES ABOUT VAN ETTEN, NEW YORK

The early residents of the Van Etten region include a large proportion of Dutch families. These pioneers could have come down the Susquehanna River from the east, or up the river from the south, as the river makes a change in direction near old Tioga Point, about sixteen miles south of the settlement they made, the present Van Etten. In either case, the wide gateway of Cayuta Valley would give easy access to a fine timbered country. Good timber land was thought to be an indication of good farm land. Cayuta Creek was known locally as Shepherd's Creek.

Adam Schick, the father-in-law of James Van Etten, Sr. is said to have been the first settler. James Van Etten, Sr., and his sons Joshua and James, Jr., came in 1798 from the Delaware Water Gap. Also the elder James had with him his brother Emanuel. This group located fourteen miles up Cayuta Creek valley at the meeting place of a short valley, about three miles long, which led to a settlement at Spencer.

Joshua Van Etten, the oldest son of James, Sr., acted as leader, and selected his first home site at the forks of the road, one road continuing up the valley to Catherine (Watkins Glen), one branching off to Spencer, and one down Cayuta Creek. This is the present route of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, the main line continuing up Cayuta Valley and a branch line from Van Etten to Spencer and north. Clark's store occupied the location for many years which was the first home of Joshua.

General Jacob Swartwood, with his brothers Isaac and Emanuel, went farther up Cayuta Valley three or four miles where the Swartwood station stood for many years. He was joined by his father Peter and another brother John.

James Van Etten, Sr., had four cousins, Alexander, John, Emanuel and Benjamin Ennis, who came in 1798 and settled just above the

Swartwoods. Their father, Benjamin Ennis, was killed in a battle with the Indians in April, 1780. He, with Capt. Johannes Van Etten and three of his sons, had gone to the assistance of Major Westbrook's company in the effort to repel an invasion of Indians at the home of Manuel Gonsales, in Northampton County, Pa.

Major Samuel Westbrook located south of the present location of Van Etten. Joel Thomas about 1795 located near where the white grist mill stood for many years.

Of the first things in this region, Joshua Van Etten built the first house in 1798, and kept the first tavern in 1813. James Van Etten, Jr. built the first frame house. This house was occupied by Thaddeus Rumsey in 1879.

The site of the village of Van Etten was owned originally by the brothers, Joshua and James, Jr. Joshua was a man of ability and education, as is evidenced by a hand-written deed made out for the sale of land.

James Van Etten, Sr., was wounded by musket balls which he carried to his grave. He was wounded in service during the Revolution, and died Dec. 22, 1805. In his honor this little settlement in a few years was called Van Etenville. The name was shortened to Van Etten by the Post Office department about fifty years ago. A post office was established here at an early date, it being on the post road that connected Ithaca by stages with the west and southwest. The first postmaster was James Van Etten, Jr., and his commission is dated May 5, 1836. Other postmasters were Daniel C. Van Etten, appointed July 7, 1842 and July 7, 1849, Albert Van Etten, June 25, 1846, and Wm. H. Van Etten, Mar. 18, 1873.

The growth of the village was slow, and in 1840 there were eight families in the village (one of these was James B. Van Etten). James B., born 1815, was the first son of Joshua and Eleanor Lancy (Swartwood). He served as assemblyman from Chemung Co. in 1852 and from Albany Co. in 1855. Van Etenville was situated in the eastern part of Cayuta township and after March 29, 1826, in Chemung County. When Schuyler County was formed April 17, 1854, most of the township of Cayuta was placed in the new county. The part that remained and part of the township of Erin was erected into the township of Van Etten. This new township in Chemung county was named for James B. Van Etten. "The first town meeting was held on May 9, 1854, and George B. Hall was the first supervisor chosen."

The building of the Extract Works in 1868, using the bark of the Hemlock trees, the building of a saw mill in 1869, another saw mill in a few years later, the Geneva, Ithaca and Sayre Railroad in 1871, and another railroad in 1874, made the village grow, so it was incorporated in October, 1876.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad built its double-tracked main line up Cayuta Valley, establishing near the village the Van Etten Junction

where a branch line goes to Spencer, Ithaca and beyond.

There are now good paved roads to Van Etten, following in a general way the old roads or turnpikes which met at Van Etten in the early days. Busses now ply between Elmira and Ithaca, through Van Etten. Today the region has a large Union High School, a town hall, and a fire department. A fine brick general store and several other stores, lumber yard and various business firms supply the needs of a prosperous farming community. The valuable timber is now gone, and today woodland, pasture and farm land supply the local needs and also nearby cities and even the city of New York, with dairy and poultry products.

The hardy Dutch pioneers overcame the difficulties of their primitive mode of life, their large families thrived, and now their descendants can be found from ocean to ocean and are honored to claim as ancestors these sturdy, courageous American patriots.

The above information has been gathered from the following books (in the Los Angeles Library):

History of Chemung County, by Towner.

Historical Gazetteer of Tioga Co., New York, by Gray.

History of Tioga, Chemung, Tompkins and Schuyler Counties, by Pierce.

Also a letter of Mrs. Mary White Stickle, with a note from the Gazetteer of State of New York (French?).

Old deed written by Joshua Van Etten, in possession of Andrew English. Personal knowledge of Van Etten from residence there in boyhood and visits in later years.

Church life - Apr. 1902, Vol. 15. #1. Journal in Rupp's Hist. p. 421. Full credit is given Dr. Andrew O. English of Monrovia, Cal. for the lineage of Jacobus (James) V.E.

The National Archives Washington, D.C. 8-19-1946.

"Your letter regarding a post office at Van Etten, N.Y. has been referred to National Archives.

According to the records of the PO Dept. for the period 1790-1930 now in the National Archives, a post office was established at Van Ettonsville, Tioga Co. N.Y. on May 5, 1836 with James Van Etten as postmaster. The site of the PO was changed to Chemung County between May 5, 1836 and July 29, 1841 and the name of the office was changed to Van Etten on June 2, 1892.

signed Arthur H. Leavitt

Acting Chief Div. of PO Dept
Archives."



Bird's eye view of Van Etten, N.Y.
and Front St. South
Second building on right is location of Van Etten's home

48. ELIZABETH (5) VAN ETTEN, Johannes (4), see no. 29
b. 1762 bp. Feb. 6, 1763: d. Mar. 30, 1813 m. as his first
wife, May 28, 1781 Moses Van Gorden b. Oct. 14, 1753;
d. Oct. 9, 1838. They are both buried in the private Brodhead-
Linderman-Van Gorden Cem. along the Delaware in Lehman
Tp. Pike Co. Pa. Moses was a Rev. Sol. in Capt. Johannes
Van Etten's Co.; his 2nd wife was Elsie Middaugh. He re-
ceived a pension for his services. No ch. by 2nd m.
ch: VAN GORDEN (from Bible record)
i. Mary b. July 30, 1782 d. Apr. 1, 1813 m. John Depue Jr.
(According to Mr. Coulter)
ii. Katherine b. Aug. 25, 1784
iii. Elizabeth b. Dec. 5, 1786
iv. James b. Jan. 9, 1788; d. May 16, 1854 m. Sarah Rosen-
krans
v. John twin to James; m. Mary Van Gorden, dau. of Lt. Alex
Jr.
vi. Rachel b. Apr. 1, 1790 m. Jacob Reser
vii. Diana b. Aug. 1793 m. Nathaniel Eldrege
viii. Jemima b. Apr. 2, bp. May 12, 1798 Walpack, N.J.
ix. Magdalena (Lanah) b. Sept. 24, 1800 m. Peter Walter
x. Moses b. Oct. 27, 1803 m. Hannah Decker
Ref. North East Pa.; Indebted to Elizabeth Walters of
Stroudsburg, Pa. for the above records.

MOSES VAN GORDEN FAMILY BIBLE - Printed and sold by
John Holbrook, Brattleborough Vermont 1816 - The Bible has the fol-
lowing on the inside of the back cover:

"This book was presented to Moses Van Gorden Broscoe by his
mother January 1st, 1890 - being the old Van Gorden Family Bible
1816."

The front pages are missing to page 17.

FAMILY RECORD

<u>Births</u>	<u>Deaths</u>
Mary Van Gorden was born July 30, 1782	Elizabeth Van Gorden departed this life, March 30th, 1813
Catharine Van Gorden born August 25, 1784	Mary Van Gorden departed this life April 1st, 1813
Elizabeth Van Gorden born December 5, 1786	Jamima Howell departed this life January 24th, 1830
James and John Van Gorden born January 9, 1788	Moses Van Gorden Sr. departed this life October 9th, 1838

Births

Rachel Van Gorden
born April 1, 1790

Diana Van Gorden
born August 1793

Jamima Van Gorden
born May 12, 1798

Lanah Van Gorden
was born September
24, 1800

Moses Van Gorden
was born October
27, 1803

A grandchild named
Mary Van Gorden
was born May 11, 1825

Deaths

James Van Gorden Sr. departed this
life August 7th, A.D., 1852

John Van Gorden departed this life
May 16th, 1854

Rachel Reeser departed this life
October 8th, 1853 in Illinois

Diana Eldridge departed this life
September 18th, 1852 in Michigan

Lanah Walter departed this life at
Canton, Bradford Co. August 21st,
1855

MARRIAGE RECORD

Marriage by Peter Van Ness Esq. - Moses Van Gorden was married
to Elizabeth Van Etten May 28, 1781.

49. ANTHONY (5) VAN ETTEN, Johannes (4), see no. 29.
b. 1763 d. ? m. Magdalena Van Etten, bp. Apr. 9, 1762 prob.
a dau. of Cornelius and Heyltje Westbrook V.Etten, no positive
proof.

Ch: VAN ETTEN

- i. Maria b. July 9, 1787 bp. June 11
- ii. Cornelius b. Apr. 1, 1795 bp. May 3
- iii. Simeon b. Dec. 10, 1799 bp. Mar. 9, 1800

50. MARIA (5) VAN ETTEN, Johannes (4), see no. 29.
b. abt. 1766 m. Sept. 21, 1788 Gideon Cole (no positive proof)
they prob. went to Tioga Co. N.Y.

Ch: COLE

- i. Jannetje b. Dec. 1, 1789
- ii. Joanness b. May 29, 1795 wit. Johannes VE and wife Rachel
- iii. Rachel (twin) "
- iv. Dorothy b. June 4, 1802 bp. Oct. 3
- v. John b. June 4, 1805 bp. Aug. 1

51. CATHERINE (5) VAN ETTEN, Johannes (4), see no. 29.
bp. Apr. 29, 1772; d. 2/23/1807. m. May 15, 1791 Jacob
Swartwout. They prob. went to N.Y. State.

Ch: SWARTWOUT

- i. Joannes bp. Jan. 22, 1792 wit: Johannes V.E. and wife Rachel Williams
- ii. Elizabeth b. Mar. 1797

52. SIMEON (5) VAN ETEN, Johannes (4), see no. 29.
bp. Nov. 25, 1776 m. Cornelia Dingman, d. Nov. 2, 1856 ae 80 yr., 1 mo. 8 da. She is bur. Delaware Cem. at Dingmans Ferry, Pike Co. Pa. They resided in Pike Co.

Ch: VAN ETEN

- i. Daniel Dingman b. Jan. 12, 1800
- ii. Jenneca b. Dec. 17, 1801
- iii. Maria b. Mar. 5, 1804 m. Simeon Rosencrans (9 ch. see p. 70 N.E. Pa.)

53. DANIEL VAN ETEN (5), Johannes (4) see no. 29.
bp. 8-19-1781 (Min. rec. p. 180), res. in Delaware Twp. Pike Co. Pa. and in 1846 is listed as in his 66th year. m. Katherine Decker

Ch:

- i. Dorothy b. 9-18-1800, bp. Mar. 29, 1801
- ii. Samuel bp. 4-21-1803
- iii. Rachel b. 10-11-1808 m. --- Drake
- iv. John L. b. 4-28-1811 bp. Jan. 23, 1812, Min. N.J.
- v. Oliver Perry b. 11-29-1816 bp. 4-31-1817
- vi. Cornelia b. Apr. 24, bp. Sept. 17, 1819
- 69. vii. Cornelius b. 7-2- or 22, 1823; d. 1871
- viii. Jane m. David Case
- ix. Phoebe

54. CORNELIUS (5) VAN ETEN, Youngest son of Johannes (4) see no. 29. b. Dec. 8, 1782 in Delaware Twp. Pike Co. Pa.; farmer, member of the Dutch Reformed Church. d. 1880? - 1860 - on Jan. 22. m. in 1801 Anna Smith 12/25/1777; d. 1/23/1852. Both are buried at Milford Cem. The children baptismal records are at Minisink.

Ch:

- i. Rachel b. 8/4/1803 d. 1/7/1880 m. at age of 17 to Philip McCarte Jr. (1804-1885) bur. Milford Cem. a son Cornelius McCarte b. 7/12/1825 d. in 1885 at Milford
- 70. ii. Solomon v. May 18, 1806 m. Hannah Mettler, see 6th Gen.
- 71. iii. Amos b. 9/25/1808 d. Port Jervis 10/15/1889, see 6th Gen.
- iv. Catherine (Caty Ann) b. Dec. 16, 1813 bp. Oct. 23, 1814

- v. Mary (Polly) b. Jan. 26, 1811 d. Nov. 20, 1894 m. Abraham Westfall
- vi. Robert Keneday b. May 6, 1816 m. 1848 Eliza Palmer (see Hist. of N. E. Pa.) d. Aug. 1899
- vii. Hilay b. Dec. 18, 1817
- viii. Margaret b. Oct. 19, 1818 m. Benj. Cole
- ix. Amanda b. May 27, 1822 m. Henry M. Cortright (no issue)

See Bergen's Gen. of So. N.Y. p. 261; pub. by Lewis Hist. Co. in 1915. Amer. Ancestry, Vol. 7, p. 168.

Ref. Pike Co. Press - Mar. 24, 1899 - Obituary of Eliza Palmer Van Etten - Eliza Palmer Van Etten, born 1821 at Spring Valley Pa. was eldest child of eleven children of John and Mary Ann Palmer. She came of good old Hicksite Quaker stock, her father who removed to Stroudsburg with his family in 1836 was a prominent and eloquent speaker in the meetings of that Society and a man greatly respected for his sincere character. In 1843 the deceased married Robert K. Van Etten and became with him a resident of Del. Twp. (Pike Co. Pa.) where they have since resided and where their family has built up the well-known Conashaugh Spring House. She is survived by her venerable husband, now past fourscore, and children, Cornelius and Mary, wife of Jas. P. Brown of Stbg. Pa. Lydia, wife of Frank Singmaster of Iowa. James P. and John P. whose wife has recently deceased and Hannah all at home, and brothers, James, William, John, Tutner, Mrs. Phebe Hagenbach, Mrs. Jacob C. Miller of Stbg., Mrs. C. H. Mitchell of Byran, Ohio and Mrs. Samuel Brown of Williamsport, Pa. Interment in the cemetery at Dingmans, Pike Co. Pa.

Ref. Milford Despatch Apr. 18, 1918 - Cornelius Van Etten (son of Robert K. and Eliza Palmer V.E.) d. Apr. 14, 1918, born at Conashaugh Feb. 3, 1849 - was aged 69y,2m,11d) Went to Stroudsburg 1872 and entered employ of Palmer Bros. and later that of S.W. Palmer in meat business. After death of Mr. Palmer Jan. 1, 1896, he with D.G. Palmer and L.B. Palmer formed S.W. Palmer Co. and catered to Del. Water Gap resort region. On Jan. 21, 1873 he married Helen Gordon of Cuddebackville, N.Y. who survives him, also 3 sons, Lt. H.S. Van Etten of Camp Dix (the Dr. Harry V. Etten); James; and Frank Van Etten; of Stroudsburg. 2 brothers James P. and John P. of Milford; 3 sisters, Miss Hannah V. Etten, Mrs. James P. Broen and Mrs. L. V. Singmaster of Stbg.; he was buried in Stbg. Cemetery.

55. SOLOMON (5) VAN ETTEN, Johannes (4), see no. 29.
 b. 2/12/1789
 m. Katherine Rosenkrans (d. 9/19/1840 ae 51y, 1m. and bur. Private V. E. on Maria Zimmerman farm)
 Children: from Minisink Records
 i. John I. b. Jan. 19, 1810, d. Oct. 9, 1840
 ii. Daniel b. Jan. 10, 1813
 iii. Dorothy b. Aug. 17, 1817
 iv. Hulda b. Oct. 13, 1819 or 20
 v. Manuel b. Jan. 11, 1822
 vi. Hannah b. Mar. 26, 1826
 vii. Solomon
 viii. Julia Ann
 ix. Eliza Jane
56. DOROTHY (5) VAN ETTEN, Johannes (4), see no. 29.
 m. John Lattimore, son of Robert and Margaret (Craig) Lattimore (p. 1409 N.E. Pa.); res. near Dingmans Ferry.
 Children: Min. records. LATTIMORE
 i. Polly b. 25 July 1809
 ii. Leah b. 20 Oct. 1811
 iii. Solomon Van Etten b. 4 July, 1818
 iv. John Craig b. 15 July, 1823
57. REBECCA ROSECRANS (5), Maria Roosa (4) see no. 33 and 20.
 b. 1784 in Orange Co. N.Y.
 m. 1803 at Plains, Pa. James Stark b. 1779 Dutchess Co. N.Y. son of William and Mary (Cary) Stark, who lived in Dutchess Co. N.Y., Goshen, N.Y. and Luzerne Co. Pa. being in the latter place during the Wyoming massacre. James and Rebecca came to Delaware Co. Ohio in 1809 with John and Maria Roosa Rosencrans. They are buried in the Stark cemetery at or near Stark's corners, near Sunbury, Ohio. Rebecca died in 1819.
 Ch. were: STARK
72. i. Maria 1804-1870 m. 1822 William Perfect 3rd, see 6th generation
 ii. Lucy 1806 m.--- Carpenter of Galena, Ohio
 iii. Harriet 1814 m. Dr. Biglow of Galena, Ohio
58. JOHN VAN ETTEN (5) Arie (4); see no. 34; b. May 31, bp. June 5, 1759. m. at Kingston 4 March, 1792 Marritje Van Valkenburg (Falkenburg), dau. of John. John V.E. was a signer of the articles of Association in 1775 and was a soldier in the revolution, serving first under Col. Johannis Snyder of the

first regiment of the Ulster Co. Mil. and also in the third regiment of the Continental Line commanded by Col. James Clinton. Also 2nd lieut. of a company comm'd. by Capt. Isaac S. Davis in June 1778. Their children were baptised at Katsbaan.

- i. Jonas bp. May 4, 1793 served in war of 1812. (Sylvester's, for ref.)
 - ii. Levi b. Feb. 8, 1795
 - iii. Peggy b. July 8, 1799
 - 73. iv. John Aaron b. May 19, 1801
 - v. Sally Eliza bp. June 2, 1805 m. Benj. Winne. Lived in Albany
 - vi. Eva Maria b. Aug. 11, 1810 m. Abel Baker. d. in Sauger-ties
 - vii. Sara Gerterie
- Ref. Olde Ulster Vol. 2, p. 380 and D.A.R. lineage Vol. 4, #3691.
See Miscellanea.

Chapter 6

SIXTH GENERATION

59. PETER⁶ VAN ETTEN, Jacob⁵; see no. 36.
b. 2-17-1784; d. 1863 Sodus, Wayne Co. N.Y. m. 12-23-1813
(Bible rec.) Polly Pitcher, b. 1794; d. 1872 Sodus, N.Y.
- Ch: three known, there may have been others
- i. William
 - ii. Samuel
 - iii. Catharine⁷ b. 12-6-1814; d. 1892; lived in Wayne Co. N.Y.
m. 1-23-1831 Francis Reed (1809-1882). They had eight
children and among them was the grandmother of Mrs.
W.T. MaWhinney, 905 East Ninth St., Flint 3, Mich.(q.v.)
Louisa Jane Reed⁸ b. 10-7-1834 Sodus, N.Y. d. 1-24-1924
at Whitewater, Wis. She m. 11-29-1853, Joseph Bailey
b. 8-16-1824, Syracuse, N.Y. and d. 2-4-1901 Whitewater.
They had two ch:i.Amos Peter b. 11-14-1854, d. 2-27-1946
m. Oct. 29, 1879 Emma Rutherford, b. 2-6-1858, d. Aug.
1925. Their dau. Sarah Janette b. 11-13-1884 m. 5-4-1946
Bertram Reynolds b. 10-27-1878. They res. 666-1/2 Pine
St., Burlington, Wis. ii. Louisa Bailey⁹ b. 4-4-1858 Kosh-
konong Twp. Wis. and d. at Milwaukee, Wis. 3-11-1934;
she m. at Whitewater 10-1-1878 James Edward Burton
b. 6-28-1857, Milwaukee and d. 5-21-1927 at Whitewater.
Their dau. Frances Burton¹⁰, b. 2-12-1891 Whitewater
m. 9-3-1910 at Hammond, Ind. William T. MaWhinney who
was b. 8-24-1888 Lima Center, Wis., son of Francis
Glover MaWhinney and Hannah (Brown); A.B. Beloit Coll.
1910, M.A. Columbia Univ. 1926. Since 1927 Registrar
and Office Manager General Motors Institute. See bio-
graphical Sketches in Who's Who in Education, 1934-1948
editions, Who's Who in Commerce and Industry, 1948 et al.
- They are both keenly interested in the family lineage
and have contributed the above history. Mrs. MaWhinney
is a singer of some note; teaches voice and piano; grad. of
State Normal, Wis.; ex-school teacher; served as head of
music conservatory, Billings Polytechnic Institute, Mont.;
former Pres. of the St. Cecelia Society Flint, Mich.; past
Regent Genesee Chapter, D.A.R., present National Chair-
man, National Festivals, National Federation of Music

Clubs; State Chm. Comm. Adv. of American Music, D.A.R. and is affiliated and active in many music clubs of Mich.

They have two sons:

- i. Frances Burton MaWhinney (11) born 6/12/1914, Victor, Mont.; A.B. degree Beloit College 1936, M.A. degree Univ. of Michigan 1947; has been in public school work since 1938 as teacher and superintendent of schools, presently teacher in Flint Public schools; m. 8/10/1946, Flint, Mich. Lucille Gale, b. 9/15/1913, Flint, Mich., daughter James L. Gale and Maude Ellen Muma; A.B. and M.A. degrees Univ. of Mich., teacher in Flint Public Schools.
- ii. William Dana MaWhinney (11), b. 10/7/1919, Milwaukee, Wis.; graduate Central High School Flint, Mich. 1937; attended General Motors Institute, Flint, Mich. m. 2/21/1942, Fenton, Mich. Madolin Kelly, b. 12/20/1917, d. of Llewellyn W. Kelly and Lulu M. Yeager, Flint, Mich., she graduated Central H.S. Flint 1935 and attended Ferris Institute 1935-37. He served 38 months in World War II (28 of them overseas) as an engineer with the B-25 group; received several citations; now employed at AC Spark Plug division G.M. Corporation, Flint, Mich.

60. JOHN (6) VAN ETTEN, Daniel (5) see no. 37.

b. April 1773 no doubt in Plainfield Twp. Northampton Co. Pa. m. June 24, 1798, Ann Labar. In the List of marriages performed by J.P. Squire Chambers in Smithfield Twp. Monroe Co. Pa. 1796-1807 and also Matthew's History of Wayne, Monroe and Pike Co's Pa. p. 1081. The LaBar's lived in Smithfield Twp. In the year 1803 John Van Etten, his wife and some children, his mother and his sister Mary, came out to Ohio by wagon, and settled in Milton Township, Trumbull Co. in the western part of the township. The women of the family assisted in placing the logs for their first home. The second dwelling built by him, a high log house with two rooms on the 2nd floor and a large stone chimney was still standing in 1882. After their arrival, three weeks elapsed before the cabin was completed so the family slept in and under the wagon and ate in the open on the banks of the Mahoning river. The first frame house built upon the location of the log house is standing (1949) on what is now state route 18, just at the west end of the Milton bridge over the Lake by that name. When all was in readiness for the erection of the first cabin, owing to the scarcity of men in the vicinity, the women were called in to

assist in raising the logs to the proper height. Some time after coming here Capt. Van Etten procured a pair of spoon molds, which his wife used for years in making spoons for the settlers and for use in her own family. Old pewter plates furnished the material; if a spoon was broken, the pieces were carefully saved until they could be run over and made into a new spoon. This mold remained in the possession of some members of the family for several years, and then, like so many treasured possessions, disappeared. John Van Etten was called out and drilled his men from Milton Twp. for service in the war of 1812. He was later called Captain. They drilled, so tis said, on the field located at what is now Orr's corners in Milton. He wore the three cornered hat with plumes - got his men as far as Cleveland when the war was over so did not see actual combat.

Capt. Van Etten had a distillery in very early times. During the war of 1812 it was run by hiw wife, who, the Capt. declared, could make more and better whiskey from the same amount of grain than he could.

John Van Etten received by deed from Simon Perkins, in 1825, 398 acres in township 2 Range 2 Lot 21. (recorded book D, p. 387 of Mahoning Co. transcribed records)

His wife Ann died October 10, 1847 and John died Feb. 12, 1850. Both were laid to rest in the Vaughn cemetery in Milton Twp. on familiar ground; tall slab markers mark their resting place. John's will is recorded Feb. Term 1850 - Prob. Rec. B 3 p. 509 (244) of Milton Twp., Youngstown, Ohio. In Apr. 7, 1806 Deerfield Twp. was organized and John Van Netta's name appears as a supervisor. Several of these officers resided at this time in what are now adjoining townships to Deerfield.

Ann (Lebar) Van Etten, wife of John, was born 29 Oct. 1779, dau. of Daniel and Anna Margretha Crownin (Cronin) LaBar, French Huguenots, who lived in Smithfield Twp. Northampton Co. Pa. Her birth is recorded on page 107 1st Reformed Church records at Easton, Pa. thusly: "Ann, daughter to Daniel Lawar et Anna Margaretha, exor., Oct. 31, 1779; baptised Feb. 7, 1780; witnesses Ludwig Knaus et Ann Elizabeth Musch, both of single estate." Lawar is the German spelling for LàBar and "exor" means wife. Ann LaBar was a women of cheerful disposition; plain in speech and kind in heart. She was remarkably fond of her children and grandchildren; a woman of great nerve and strength and very patient; had a warm impulsive nature. She lived to see all of her children settled in life and lived to see her fourth generation. (From the Parshall and Van Etten families as written

in 1878 by Annie Parshall Davis.) The high log cabin built by John V.E. was well remembered by the older members of the family. Their grandchild Harriet (McKenzie) Scott lived for several years in this Van Etten two story log cabin, the 2nd one built, and her daughter Effie Hadassah (now known as "Aunt Dassie Church" to the writer) was born there in 1858 and lived there until her father purchased the Portage Co. farm. She well remembers how it looked. The large stone chimney, stairs to the second half story, large stove in center of the kitchen - everything very plain but clean. The log cabin was later replaced almost upon the same foundation by a frame house and Robert and Margaret (Scott) Shepherd lived there for years, and was then known as the "Shepherd place" to the next generation. The property is now mostly covered by the waters of Lake Milton and the frame house still stands near the shore on state route 18, just west of the bridge.

The following articles are recorded in the court house at Warren, Ohio.

Book T p. 36 Deeds: Vanetten, John - March 11, 1825 - from Simon Perkins 465 50/100 acres Township 2, Range 5, Lot 21. \$1400.00

Deed Book Vol. H p. 532; John Van Etten, March 13, 1807 from Ephraim Quimby one half acre T. 4, R. 4, Lot 34. \$50.00 also Vol. 0 p. 71. John Van Etten and Anna his wife (her mark) May 16, 1816, to Cyrus Bosworth - lot in Warren near public square, one half acre. Daniel Vaughn, J.P. (name written Vanetten)

Marriage book 1822-1827 p. 140; Daniel Van Etten made application for John McKensey and Sally Vanetten, of Milton. Daniel Vanetten appeared and produced a certificate from John Vanetten giving his consent that he grants to his daughter Sally, she being over 14 yrs. and under 18 yrs of age. (signed) Daniel Vanetta - 5 April 1825.

John Vanetten, Oct. 12, 1819 from Joseph Depue and wife Elizabeth, 1/4 acre, T. 2, R. 5, lot 19 \$8.00 (town plat of Milton); wit: John Depue and Johnson Vaughn.

There were ten ch. born to John and Ann (LaBar) Van Etten as follows:

- i. Margaret b. 3/16/1789 Northampton Co. Pa. d. 1825
Milton m. Daniel Parshall
(M.R. Warren, Trum Co. O. Book "Quarter Sessions"
p. 64 of 1816-22. Daniel Parshall and Margaret Van
Etten, Sept. 3, 1818; same p. 140 gives date as Aug. 7,
1818.) After her death Daniel Parshall remarried. (see
Parshall genealogy)

- ii. Mary b. Apr. 1, 1803
m. Joseph Depew Jr.
(M.R. Warren, "Q.S." Book p. 200 April 6, 1821 Johnson Vaughn)
- 74. iii. Sally b. June 13, 1807 d. Aug. 1885
- iv. Elizabeth b. Apr. 12, 1805
m. Nov. 27, 1824 Jacob Parshall by Milton Rogers, Q.S.
book at Warren p. 266 m. 2nd Heman Meeker and re-
moved to Wood Co. Ohio or to Michigan.
- v. Daniel b. Mar. 18, 1801
m. Aug. 1, 1825 Sarah (Sally) Parshall (Warren, Q.S.
Book p. 287 June 6, 1825 Wm. Strawder, JP)
- 75. vi. Jacob W. b. Sept. 7, 1809 d. 1890 Woodville, Ohio
- 76. vii. Anna C. b. Mar. 12, 1812 d. 2/19/1880
- viii. John B.(rink) Van Etten b. 6/7/1814 d. Mar. 21, 1878
m. Sarah Winans
They moved to Wood Co. O. and from there to Missouri.
Their children were: Eli, Augusta, Adna, Sylvanus (a
cripple), Gilbert, Mary (Mollie, d. 1939 in Keosauquia,
Iowa) and John who d.y. (Names given from memory by
Dassie Scott Church.)
- ix. Johah Turner b. 6/24/1818
m. Winans
- x. Aaron Depue b. 4/26/1824 d. 1860 Jackson Co. Oregon.
Went west during the gold rush and never returned. He
sent home to Hugh Patterson a gold nugget which is in
the possession of Mrs. Clara Brown, g. dau. of Hugh. He
was in Nevada City in 1853.

JOHN VAN ETTEN FAMILY BIBLE RECORD

Bible in the possession of Dr. C. H. Pember, 1309 Alverodo Terrace, Walla Walla, Washington. Copied from said Bible Feb. 17, 1943 for Miss Eva A. Scott.

Family record--Births--of John and Annie Van Etten

John Van Etten	born March or April, 1773
Annie LaBar, wife,	born Oct. 29, 1779
Margaret	b. March 16, 1799
Daniel	b. March 18, 1801
Mary	b. April 1, 1803
Betsey	b. April 12, 1805
Sarah	b. June 13, 1807
Jacob W.	b. Sept. 7, 1809
Annie C.	b. March 12, 1817, d. Feb. 19, 1880

John B. b. June 7, 1814, d. March 21, 1878
 Jonah T. b. June 24, 1818
 Aaron D. b. April 26, 1824

Mother died aged 68 years, Oct. 10, 1847

Father died aged 77 years, Feb. 12, 1850

(signed) Jacob Van Etten

Births and deaths of the family of Jacob W. Van Etten and Anna Van Etten

Jacob W. Van Etten b. Sept. 7, 1809, d. May 5, 1890
 Anna Gasser Van Etten, b. Oct. 15, 1815, died Feb. 20, 1887
 married Jan. 20, 1836

Children:

John W. Van Etten b. Nov. 21, 1836, d. 1906 (abt)
 Syrus b. Nov. 14, 1838, d. Feb. 2, 1862 Mem. 21 Regt.
 Hugh P. b. Oct. 5, 1840 mem. 72 Reg't OVI
 Anna M. (Helbing) b. Sept. 19, 1842, died 1933
 Lovina b. April 29, 1844, d. Aug. 12, 1859
 Aaron I. b. Dec. 5, 1846
 Ira S. b. Feb. 12, 1848
 Warren b. Feb. 25, 1850, d. Oct. 2, 1850
 Ellen A. (Pember Hill) b. Jan. 30, 1852 (living 1943)
 Sarah b. Feb. 26, 1854, d. April 4, 1860
 Martha M. b. March 17, 1857, d. Aug. 14, 1859
 Charles I. b. March 24, 1859, d. July 4, 1862

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NORTHAMPTON CO. PA. Orphan Court Records, p. 217
 22 ? day of June 1790 On the petition of John Van Etten one of
 the children of Daniel Van Etten, late of Lower Smithfield
 township, yeoman, deceased, setting forth that the petitioners
 said father died some considerable time ago Intestate leaving
 the petitioner his child now a minor above the age of 14 years,
 with some estate coming to him from his said father praying
 that the court would be pleased to permit him to appear in
 court and make choice of some fit person as his guardian to
 take care of his person and estate where upon the said minor
 John Van Etten appeared in court and made choice of John
 Jayne of Upper Smithfield, yeoman, as and for his guardian
 who is approved of and he is so appointed accordingly.

61. SOLOMON (6) VAN ETTEN, Levi (5) see no. 41.
 1/25/1782 d. in 1870
 m. 9-18-1806 (Family record) Hist. of Orange Co. gives 1805

Jemima Gumaer (1788-1866) dau. of Peter, G. dau. of Peter and G.G. dau. of Peter the immigrant.

ch:

- i. John b. Nov. 20, 1806 m. Margaret Carpenter (Hist. Orange Co. 1881 p. 174)
- ii. Jane m. Peter G. Cuddeback of Deerpark
- iii. Sallie 1813-73 m. 1836 James Whitlock (Hist. of Orange Co.) but family record says she m. Joseph Westbock. A dau. Jane E. b. 1843 m. 1860 Job Van Inwegen. (Obituary of Levi says his sister was Sally Whitlock).
- 77. iv. Peter Gumaer Van Etten b. 7-30-1824 d. 6-28-1897 m. 10-10-1853 Sarah Ann Campbell b. 4-4-1833 d. Nov. 27, 1894
- v. Levi Van Etten moved to Calif. native of Deerpark. b. at the homestead near Huguenot, Orange Co. N.Y. 5-16-1829 d. Los Angeles, Cal. Oct. 27, 1906 bur. Evergreen Cem. where his wife Emily Van Etten is also bur. She d. Nov. 21, 1895 ae 61.

Three ch. survived Levi:

- i. Veranus C. res. San Fran. Cal.
- ii. Mima G. res. Los Angeles
- iii. Edith Ellen res. Hillsboro, Texas.

Records taken from the Obituary folder 29, p. 151 Minisink Valley Hist. So. at Port Jervis, in Nov. 3, 1895 the Port Jervis Gazette printed the obit. of Mrs. Levi S. Van Etten - Emily ae 61, a native of Deerpark - moved west abt 1875 and res. in So. Cal. 3 ch: Veranus of Maynard, Mass., Jemima who m. J.L. Evans of Oakland Cal. and Edith, married and lives in New Mexico.

62. LEVI (6) VAN ETTEN, Levi (5) see no. 41; son of Levi and Jannetje (Westbrook) V.E. b. Aug. 13 or 30, 1790 in Deerpark and spent his entire life in farming his 225 acres there, dying in 1865. Member of the Dutch Ref. Ch. and politically a Democrat. m. 12-12-1811 Eleanor Carpenter 11-16-1793 or 8-1872 of Carpenter's Point.

10 ch. in all. (Not in order of births)

- i. Benjamin b. 6-16-1819 d. ae 32
- ii. John b. 2-4-1815; d. 8-7-1872 (sheriff of Orange Co.) m. Mary Westbrook Cuddeback. a dau. Alice V.E. Van Inwegen
- iii. Alvah b. 2-6-1833; d. 4-10-1854
- iv. Levi, the 5th born, b. at Deerpark 4-12-1822 d. Oct. 29, 1908. m. 12-26-1876 Mrs. Mary Chapman Green of

Otisville, dau. of Silas and Keturah (Taylor) Chapman.
Had an adopted dau. Killian Hornnell wife of Dr. M. A.
Stivers of Middletown.

78. v. Solomon (see 7th gen.) b. 7-30-1829; d. 1894
vi. Margaret b. 3-11-1813 m. Simon Westfall and d. abt.
1874
vii. Ellen b. 12-27-1836 m. Charles R. Bodle of Pt. Jarvis
viii. Ann Elizabeth b. 12-18-1827, d. 1901 1848 m. Archibald
Campbell (1826-58) Their dau. Augusta b. 1849 m. 1867
George N. Cobb.
ix. Jacob b. 3-10-1817 d. age 26
x. Jane b. 4-28-1835 d.y.

Ref: Tunis Barret Bergen's Genealogies of So. N.Y. pub.
1915 by Lewis Hist. Co. p. 260.
Biog. Rec. Orange Co. N.Y. p. 988.
D.A.R. Lineage Vol. 42, p. 19.

63. ANNA VAN ETTEN (6), Anthony (5) see no. 43.
b. 6-12-1819; d. 12-22-1858 Toledo, Ohio
m. Owasco N.Y. Oct. 23, 1843 Holdridge Ozro Collins of
Naugatuck, Woodbridge Co. Conn., son of Ahira (1780-)
and Jemima (Wooster) Collins. H.O. dates were 1811-1890.

Children: COLLINS.

- i. Holdridge Ozro Jr., b. in Sennett, Cayuga Co. N.Y. 10 Dec.
1844 m. in Chicago, Ill. Apr. 23, 1874 Mary Ballance
(5-19-1851; 12-24-1894) dau. of Col. Charles Ballance of
Peoria, Ill. H.O. Jr. became an attorney and practised at
Los Angeles, Cal.
ch: Rejoice Ballance Collins b. Chi. 7-28-1876
Gladys Collins b. Chi. 8-14-1883 d. Oakland Cal.
2-6-1886
Constance Dorothy Collins, b. 10-26-1888 in Chi.
(see D.A.R. lineage Vol. 59)
Jessie Fremont Collins b. 1-21-1890; d. 5-19-1890 at
L.A.
ii. Woolesey Collins b. 10-17-1846 in Cayuga Co. N.Y.;
d. 6-8-1886 in Cal. m. 8-2-1873 Belle Prince Browning of
Alabama.

Holdridge O. Jr. became a writer also and the following books
under his name are listed in the Library of Congress.

COLLINS, Holdridge Ozro, 1844-

1. Ancestors of Rejoice Ballance Collins and Constance Dorothy Van
Etten Collins who participated in the civil and military affairs of
the American Colonies and those who were soldiers in the Con-
tinental armies during the war of the Revolution and those who
served in the war of 1812. COLLINS FAMILY - 1910

2. Captain Ira Beebe and Sergt Walter Wooster, soldiers of the Revolution. 1902; Ira Beebe 1735-1792. Walter Wooster 1745-1829
WOOSTER FAMILY
3. Genealogy of the Washington Family - John Washington died 1677; 1900
4. Los Angeles (caption title) 1897 an address delivered at L.A.
Fourth of July oration
5. Memoirs of a Brilliant Woman; W.A. Vandercook, printer, 1892
Title: Collins Mrs. Ann (Van Etten) b. 1819
6. Military record of John Green Ballance compiled for the Society of S.A.R. in the state of California; L.A. 1910. Ballance, John Green 1853-1910
7. A vision of St. Nicholas - 1898 Christmas Poetry
8. The Roosa Family of Ulster and Dutchess Counties, N.Y. Pub. in N.Y. Gen. and Biog. Rec. Vol. 31, p. 235.
64. JOHN (6) VAN ETTEN, of John (5), see no. 46; b. 2-7-1782 bp. 8-16-1782, (Min. Ch. rec. p. 178; wit. Johannes Sr. and Rachel Williams). He died Nov. 2, 1813. m. 10-18-1801 Catherine Kuykendale, b. 6-27-1781, dau. of Solomon Jr. and wife Maria (Westbrook). Cath. d. Oct. 12-1862 and is buried in the private Van Etten plot on the Maria Zimmerman farm. John and his father are also probably buried there, altho no stones mark their graves.

Children taken from the Min. records:
i. Maria b. 6-8-1802 d. 8-10-1805
ii. Cornelia b. 7-27-1804
iii. Mary b. 5-11-1806
79. iv. Daniel Ennis, b. 1-22-1808 d. 2-11-1880 m. Lucinda Van Gorden
v. Solomon b. 5-13-1810 d. 1-10-1811
80. vi. Sarah b. 8-26-1812 m. Sidney Bevans
65. MARY (POLLY) VAN ETTEN (6), James (5) see no. 47.
b. 3-10-1784 (Min. rec. p. 33); d. 11-15-1822 Chemung Co. N.Y. m. before 1805, Thomas Baker, b. 7-30-1781

Children: BAKER
81. i. Elizabeth Baker (aged 58 in 1865 census of VanEtten town, Tioga Co. N.Y.) b. 1-22-1816. d. Christmas of 1897.
m. Abram Barns.
Mrs. Winkle, Dryden, Mich. has photographs of some of this family.
ii. Polly b. -- m. 6-10-1838. Old home, Laneville Lake.
66. JOSHUA (6) VAN ETTEN, Jacobus (5) see no. 47.
b. 2-21-1789. d. 1-19-1830 Van Ettenville, N.Y. He remained

in the Delaware Vally. m. 9-16-1812 Eleanor (Laney) Swartwood b. 12-29-1794, d. 2-21-1847. Ref. Min. Rec. p. 192, 194 and Towner's "Hist. of Chemung."

children:

i. Jemima b. 8-5-1813 Van Etten, N.Y.

82. ii. James B. b. 12-17-1815 Van Etten, N.Y. m. Martha Hill

iii. Daniel C. b. 2-24-1818

iv. Joshua b. 2-16-1820 (living in Dryden N.Y. in 1879)

v. Albert b. 4-9-1822

67. CORNELIA (6) VAN ETTEN, James (5) see no. 47.

b. 5-23-1796; d. 1-22-1865

m. 5-19- Hiram White

83. i. Hannah m. Dr. Zalmon Chase, as his first wife.

ii. James Van Etten. Capt. 3rd N.Y. L.A.; Mayor of Port Byron, N.Y. m. 1st-----; m. 2nd. Josephine Armstrong and had a dau. Mary White who m. a Strickle, as his 2nd wife. She lives (1947) on the farm at Weedsport, N.Y. called "Riverside" - has a large red brick house with a cupola. No issue.

68. CATHERINE (6) VAN ETTEN, Jacobus (5) see no. 47.

b. 1801 d. 1872

m. Samuel English (1797-1877) son of William and Mary (Patterson).

Children: ENGLISH

84. i. Mynor W. 1833-89 m. Charlotte Raynor

69. CORNELIUS (6) VAN ETTEN, Daniel (5) see no. 53

4th son of Daniel and Katherine (Decker) Van Etten and was born July 2, 1823 in Milford, Pa. In early life engaged in farming. Supt. of construction on the Lake Shore and Michigan So. R.R. and after its completion he became a roadmaster on the line, with headquarters at Angola, N.Y. where he died about 1871. He m. 1st. on Nov. 3, 1847 Elizabeth Cunion who

85. was the mother of two sons; Charles C. and Edgar Lemont (no. 85 q.v.) By a second m. there were three sons: Horton B., Pardon B., and Ernest.

70. SOLOMON (6) VAN ETTEN, Cornelius (5) see no. 54.

b. 5-18-1806 Del. Twp. Pike Co. Pa.; d. 9-2-1873

m. 10-9-1837 Hannah Mettler, b. 12-30-1812; d. 8-31-1894 Milford, both are buried at Milford.

Children: (not in order of b.)

86. i. Cornelius Smith

ii. Daniel, d.y.

iii. Solomon

iv. Mary Ann b. 3-20-1834; d. 4-11-1880 unm.

v. Frank

vi. Amos Smith d.y.

vii. Matthew

viii. Benjamin b. 1851 d. 1877

ix. Anna Mettler

87. x. John Hixon b. 10-13-1843. d. 1924

Ref: Bergen's Gen. of So. N.Y. V. 1, p. 259. Pub. by the Lewis Hist. So. 1915.

71. AMOS (6) VAN ETTEN, Cornelius (5) see no. 54.

b. in 9-25-1808 Pike Co., and died in Port Jervis, N.Y. Oct. 10 or 15, 1889. He was engaged in the mercantile business at Milford, Pa. m. Dec. 15, 1841 Lydia Cornelia Thrall, b. June 15, 1818 Milford, Pa. dau. of Samuel Southmead and Cynthia (Newman) Thrall; she d. Dec. 11, 1898 at Port Jervis.

Ch: VAN ETTEN

88. i. Edgar b. Apr. 15, 1843 at Milford (see 7th gen), lived Calif.

ii. John Thrall b. 1846, lived Port Jervis

iii. Samuel Southmead b. 1848 Hainesville, N.J. d. 3-23-192-Pittsfield, Mass. m. Sept. 1881 Ellen Campbell dau. of Archibald and Ann Eliza (Van Etten) Campbell. Ellen Campbell V.E. d. in Pittsfield, Mass. 12-29-1918 ae 67 years. Born in Port Jervis. Moved to Worcester, Mass. abt 1898 where Mr. Van Etten was in the service of the Boston and Albany Railroad. They had one adopted dau. Mrs. Elizabeth Crowell of Pittsfield, Mass. Both are buried Laurel Grove Cem. Port Jervis.

iv. Anna Van Etten b. 1850 d. 1870

v. Amos b. Sussex Co. N.J. 8-32-1852, Rutger's Coll. A.M. 1877, Lawyer; Judge, Orange Co. N.Y. m. 5-7-1879 in Port Jervis, N.Y. Ollie Casky, dau. of Frank and Hannah M. (Coykendall) Casky (Caskey) she d. at Kingston Jan. 20, 1923; was b. 1853 at Sparrowbush, N.Y. ch: Luella R. b. 1882, m. Joseph Buburt, Kate b. 1886 widow of Don Chambers, and Jennie C. (Miss Jane), b. 1887.

Judge Amos was keenly interested in the Van Etten family history and was preparing a genealogy.

vi. Emma Lawrence 1854, m. Charles F. Van Inwegen of Port Jervis. The mother died at Emma's home.

Ref: Bergen's Gen. of So. N.Y. p. 261.

72. MARIA STARK (6), Rebecca Rosencrans (5) see no. 57.

b. 1804 in Plains, Pa. died 1870 Sunbury, Ohio m. 1822

Stark's corners, Del. Co. O. William Perfect b. 1799 Ky. son of William and Elizabeth (Dey) Perfect, who were both born in Va.

children: PERFECT

i. Almon 1823-1878 m. Caroline Matthews in 1852 Trenton Twp. Del. Co. O.

ii. Elizabeth 1826-1860 m. Thomas Van Fleet of Galena, O.

iii. James 1828-1894 m. Emma Graham, Animosa, Ia.

iv. Thomas 1831-1888 in Springfield, O., m. Elizabeth Condit, Trenton Twp. Del. Co. O.

89. v. Charles Dey 1833-1912 in Marysville, O. m. Mary Elizabeth Moore in Sunbury, O. 1859

vi. Emory 1836-1907 in Huntington, Ind. m. Lucy Moyer 1859 at Columbus, Ohio

vii. Edwin R. 1837-1862 at Pittsburg Landing, Tenn. a Union Sol. in Civil war.

viii. Henry Clay 1838-1868 Sunbury Ohio. Died from effects of the war

ix. Lucy 1846-1850 Accidentally killed - strangled between fence palings of a gate

73. JOHN AARON (6) VAN ET TEN, John (5) see no. 58

b. May 19, 1801

d. 1888

m. Oct. 19, 1826 Rebecca Vredenburg, b. May 20, 1808, dau. of Peter

Children:

i. William H.

ii. John E. b. Apr. 2, 1830; d. Apr. 30, 1904; Lawyer in Ulster m. Adelaide Greene, dau. of Edward; ch. were Jessie Greene who m. Dr. James Louis Preston; John G. b. 1863, educated Princeton; Judge, d. 1927 m. Anna North (ref. Manning, N.Y. State Men, p. 77); and Lawrence E. who m. Elizabeth Schoonmaker. (see Vol. 4, p. 226 DAR lin.) see Sylvester's Hist.

iii. Nelson d. 1869

iv. David

v. Angeline b. 1844 d. May 16, 1904 m. Daniel M. Ballard

vi. Charlotte

vii. George b. Jan. 17, 1848

m. Katherine Miller and their ch. were: Gertrude, b. Jan. 1, 1895 and Ruth, b. May 11, 1896.

Chapter 7

SEVENTH GENERATION

74. SALLY (7) VAN ET TEN, John (6); see no. 60.
b. June 13, 1807 Milton Twp., Trumbull Co. Ohio
d. Aug. 4, 1885, and is buried beside her husband at Vaughn Cem. in Milton. She m. Apr. 5, 1825 (Warren M.R.) John McKenzie, son of John and Elizabeth (Porter); b. Dec. 28th 1803, prob. in the red stone district in Washington Co. Pa. He died June 3, 1887. For some time after their marriage they resided at the old home until they could build their own home on the Mahoning side of the Mahoning-Portage county line road, just south of what is now State route 18. There John spent his life time farming and they both lived to help raise their grandchildren. The house was abandoned long before the city of Youngstown built Milton Lake which covered most of the McKenzie land; the buildings were carried away piece by piece until at the present time there is just a trace of the old cellar. The lilacs and the old orchard remind the passer-by that here once loving hands tended them.

Children, MCKENZIE (not in rotation)

- i. Royal b. 1-30-1826. m. 1st Laura Westover (she died in 1864 and is buried on the Ensign Jones farm in Palmyra twp. Portage Co. O.) he. m. 2nd. Mary Winkler b. 1840 and died in Missouri in 1920. He was killed by a team of horses in Aug. 9, 1899. Their children were: 1st wife:
Lowell 1851-1899 m. Parthenia Lovern
Lodena 1855-1864
Adolphus 1856-1933 Rachel Winkler
Alexis 1857-1865
Aleward 1859-1864
Emerett 1862-1864
2nd wife-
John 1870 m. Ann Fisher
Aura m. Mollie Patrick
William d.y.
Alice 1875 m. George Adams
Elmertia 1874- m. Obe Tate
- 90. ii. Anna m. Usuel Perbasco and moved to Wood Co. O.
iii. Alice m. Mah. Co. O. Jesse Shineldecker and moved to

Eau Claire, Mich. where they both died - Alice in 1910 and Jesse several years later. They left no issue.

91. iv. Harriet b. 6-22-1832 Mah. Co. m. Alexander Scott
v. Simeon m. Catherine Shineldecker. They lived in Williams Co. Ohio - they had a dau. called Nettie.
- vi. Martin Van Buren b. 1-3-1837; d. 3-21-1910. m. 1st, Oct. 27, 1859 Mary Force of Pricetown; she d. 1860 and Martin m. Nancy Biswell who was b. Oct. 24, 1843 and d. Mar. 10, 1882. He m. 3rd Apr. 30, 1876 Syntha Ann Hull, b. 1842 Cumberland Co. Ky. and she d. in 1917. The children all lived in Missouri. They were Alice, Arthur, James, and Sally. Sally was b. 12-5-1879, m. 1-9-1913, L.B. Cosby of Hannibal, Mo. Her children were Alzada who m. Ray Boston and John Martin Cosby.
- vii. Addison McKenzie m. Julia Wilson, dau. of James of Shillings Mills, Mah. Co. O. Julia died in Oct. 9, 1870 at the age of 18 yrs. 11 mo. and 20 days, leaving a dau. Emma. She is bur. in the Mott Cem. Deerfield Twp. Portage Co. O. Emma, b. 6-25-1862 m. 3-20-1888 to Ed. Shilling, b. 9-5-1866 d. 9-7-1934 at Fresno, Cal. bur. at Exeter.

ch. of Emma and Ed Shilling

- i. Leo Leland b. 5-8-1889 in Ohio. m. in 1911 to Olga Bell of Kansas at Elreno, Okla. Children: Harold Bell b. 8-9-1913; George Edmond b. 9-16-1915; Leland Eugene b. 6-5-1917 and Wilbur Leo b. 8-12-1921. Live in St. Joseph, Mo. Mr. Shilling is with the Governmental Agri. Dept.
- ii. Lillian Lucille b. 5-14-1894 Ohio; m. 1st Dr. Walter Buxton, a child born to them named Margret Lee Buxton; m. 2nd James Roland Screatton of New Zealand. Lives in Phoenix, Ariz.
- iii. Lebert Leroy b. 12-4-1898 Ohio; m. Marna Griffiths of Visalia, Cal. in 1924. He d. 1927, left no issue.
- iv. Bernice Irene b. 8-16-1901 Ohio; m. 1922 Leo Elliston of Okla. three ch: Roxy May b. 9-28-1923; Gladys Myrl, b. 3-17-1925 and W. Leo b. 4-22-1927.
- v. Wilbur Detmer b. 8-16-1904 Lone Wolfe, Okla.; m. Jan. 31, 1925 Ione Shepherd of Cal. have a dau. Delora Jeanne b. 9-27-1925
- vi. Martha Helen b. 3-19-1907 Lone Wolf, Okla.; m. Nov. 10, 1932, James Lealand Flynn of Ogden, Utah. a son James Lebert, b. Jan. 21, 1934. Living in Pasadena, Cal. in 1938.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Shilling "pioneered" to Okla., in 1902 taking their four children and her father Addison McKenzie. In 1917 they moved from Lone Wolf, Okla. to Fresno, Cal.

viii. Maryette McKenzie, b. 1835; d. Jan. 19, 1853. Lived at Bryan, Williams Co. Ohio. She m. Zachariah Fisher. Her sister Harriet made the train trip to Bryan when Maryette died and returned home with her body and that of her infant child. They were buried in one grave in the Vaughn Cemetery in Milton. The widower soon m. a cousin to Maryette, Emily Van Etten. It is believed that Emily was the dau. of John B. Van Etten.

75. JACOB W. VAN ETTEN (7), John (6), see no. 60. Son of John and Ann (LaBar) Van Etten of Milton, township, Mahoning Co. Ohio. b. in Milton, then Trumbull Co., in Sept. 7, 1809. He married in Wood Co. Ohio Jan. 20, 1836 Anna Gasser, who was born Oct. 15, 1815 in Bern Switzerland and came to America at the age of 18. They lived to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary; Jacob W. died May 5, 1890 and his wife on Feb. 20, 1887. Both are buried at the Woodville Cemetery where other members of the family also rest.

The land upon which Jacob W. settled in Wood Co. was given him by his father John Van Etten. John offered land to each of his sons who would settle there. Jacob's tract was situated in what was called "The Black Swamp" and was a wooded beautiful section upon the banks of the Portage river. Jacob built his log house after preparing the logs himself, about two miles east of Pemberville. The old buildings were standing in 1890 but soon rotted away after abandonment. The family of his daughter moved to Texas in 1904 and none of the family remained in Pemberville. There were twelve children born to them which are recorded in the family bible in the possession of Dr. Clyde H. Pember of Walla Walla, Washington.

92. i. John Wesley Van Etten b. Nov. 21, 1836
- ii. Syrus or Sylvester b. Nov. 14, 1838, served 21 st Regt. d. Ky. Feb. 2, 1862
- iii. Hugh P. b. Oct. 5, 1840 d. Oct. 6, 1863 - Sergt 72 Reg't Co. O.
93. iv. Anna M. b. Sept. 19, 1842 m. Gustavus A. Helbing
- v. Lovina b. Apr. 29, 1844 d. Aug. 12, 1859
- vi. Aaron I. b. Dec. 5, 1846. Killed in a R.R. accident
94. vii. Ira S. b. Feb. 12, 1848
- viii. Warren b. Feb. 25, 1850 d. Oct. 2, 1850
95. ix. Ellen A. b. Jan. 30, 1852
- x. Sarah b. Feb. 26, 1854 d. Apr. 4, 1860

- xi. Martha M. b. Mar. 17, 1857 d. Aug. 14, 1859
- xii. Charles I. b. Mar. 24, 1859 d. July 4, 1862

76. ANNA C. VAN ETTEN (7), John (6) see no. 60; b. Milton Twp., Trumbull Co. Ohio. (Now in Mahoning Co.) 3-25-1812; d. 2-19-1880. m. 12-31-1829 Hugh Scott Patterson, b. 7-23-1803 Allegheny Co. Pa. and d. 2-20-1880. Both passed away at their home in Milton and were buried the same day in the Vaughn Cemetery.

Marriage book 1827-30 p. 192, at Warren Ohio states "Ann only 14 years old," John Van Etten gave consent that license be granted to the said Anny she being his daughter and under age. Dec. 29, 1829, signed "John Vanetten" and Lyman Potter, clerk.'

The dates of birth of the children shown by the following tabulation are taken from the Bible now in the possession of Mrs. Clara Jones Brown, containing a "Family Record" of births, marriages and deaths. Although it has no identifying inscription, a careful examination of this Bible has convinced us that it is undoubtedly the family Bible of Hugh and Ann Vanetten Patterson. In this tabulation the following ten children have been listed. Surname PATTERSON

- 96. i. Martha M. b. 11-13-1830
- 97. ii. Laura Etta b. 1-26-1832
- 98. iii. John Vanetten b. 1-26-1834
- 99. iv. Elizabeth C. b. 3-6-1836
- 100. v. Sidney R. b. 8-6-1839
- 101. vi. Lester b. 12-24-1841
- vii. Mary b. 12-30-1843; d. 1-5-1908 unm.
- 102. viii. Sarah M. b. 6-27-1846
- 103. ix. Hellen Augusta b. 6-14-1850
- 104. x. Celia b. 11-20-1852

77. PETER GUMAER (7) VAN ETTEN, Solomon (6) see no. 61.
b. 7-30-1824 d. 6-28-1897
m. 10-10-1853 Sarah Ann Campbell b. 4-4-1833 d. 11-27-1894
ch:

- i. son b. 1-7-1855 d. at b.
- ii. Ada b. 2-3-1856 m. Walter MacFarlane on 8-29-1882
- iii. Alva b. 4-20-1858 d. 9-21-1909
- iv. Solomon b. 7-26-1860 d. inf.
- 105. v. Wilmot b. Oct. 21, 1862 m. Jessie Trumbo (See 8th Gen.)
- vi. Archibald C. b. 8-13-1865 d. 4-11-1929 m. 1-14-1892
Laura May Van Enwegen
- vii. Solomon b. 4-9-1868 d. 5-8-1868
- viii. Frank b. 10-9-1872 d. 1874

ix. Ellen S. b. 6-14-1874 m. 1st Walter Bartholomew in
1-26-1899 m. 2nd 4-12-1929 Ernest Burton

78. SOLOMON (7) VAN ETTEN, Levi (6) see no. 62; b. 7-30-1829 in Deer Park and died 7-7-1894 at Port Jervis, N.Y. He was surgeon for twenty-five years for the Erie R.R. at Port Jervis; Surgeon for the 56th Reg't of N.Y. volunteers in the Civil war, and held the brevet rank of Lt-Col.; for several years he was commander of Carroll Post no. 279, G.A.R. of Port Jervis, also surgeon of the N.Y. state department of the G.A.R.; director of the First National Bank, Port Jervis.
m. 1st 2-21-1855 Harriet Westbrook, dau. of Levi; she d. 1857
m. 2nd 9-7-1865 Maria Bristol, b. 6-9-1836 in Waverly, N.Y. dau. of senator Nathan and Maria (David) Bristol. She d. 4-17-1917 in Newark, N.J. and is buried at Laurel Green Cem. She was first m. to Henry Sawyer.

106. i. Nathan Bristol b. 6-22-1866
ii. Eleanor " b. 9-17-1872 m. Arch. M. Woodruff of
Newark, N.J.

(see Tunis Barret Bergen's Genealogies of Southern N.Y. pub. by the Lewis Hist. So. 1915 p. 260; Cuddeback Genealogy, p. 204 no. 303)

79. DANIEL ENNIS (7) VAN ETTEN, Johannes (6) see no. 64.
b. 1-22-1808; d. 2-11-1880
m. 4-8-1830 Lucinda Van Gorden, b. Dec. 15, 1810 d. May 19, 1891. dau. of John and wife Mary Van Gorden and g. dau. of Moses V.G. on the paternal side and Lt. Alexander Van Gordon Jr. and wife Hannah Pomeroy of Butler Co. Ohio, on the maternal side.
Daniel and Lucinda are both buried Milford Cem. Pike Co. Pa. (Maria Zimmerman farm)

Children from the Bible record:

107. i. Mariah b. 3-21-1832 m. David O. Brodhead
ii. John b. 1-12-1834; d. 6-20-1905 m. Sarah Cole dau. of Benj. and Mary
iii. Sidney B. b. 3-14-1836 d. 4-6-1836
iv. Catherine b. 4-21-1837 d. 6-13-1905 m. 1st J.L. Rosenkrans, no issue. m. 2nd Jervis Gorden and had a dau. Lucy
v. Sarah Ann b. 2-16-1840 d. 9-2-1847
vi. Robert P. b. 7-24-1842 d. 9-18-1847
vii. Martha b. 11-29-1844 d. 9-18-1882 m. 1st Andrew Rosenkrans, m. 2nd B. Drake, had no issue
108. viii. Hannah Jane b. 9-1-1847 m. Joseph Buckley
ix. Mary P. b. 7-23-1850 m. Albert Shimer, bur. Montague, N.J. had a dau. Elizabeth who m. Harry Treible

109. x. Cornelia Ellen b. 7-1-1853 d. 11-2-1930 m. Jacob Kober
xi. Sophia M. b. 1-11-1857 d. 2-25-1863

80. SARAH (7) VAN ETTEN, Johannes (6), see no. 64. b. Aug. 26, 1812; d. Nov. 5, 1882
m. Sidney Bevans on Dec. 2, 1830; b. 9-10-1808 d- 9-3-1889
resided near Newton, Sussex Co. N.J.

Children: BEVANS from Bible of Mrs. Arlie Major of Laytons, N.J.

- i. Daniel b. 9-3-1831 d- 12-27-1906 m. 1st ----Dillistine
m. 2nd Eliz. Mettler
- ii. John I. b. 8-12-1833 d. 1-1-1836
- iii. James b. 6-17-1835 d- 11-16-1870 m.---
(a) Ella J. b. 12-12-1870
- iv. Evan b. 10-2-1837 d. m. Sarah Lanterman (no
surviving issue)
- v. Cornelia M. b. 11-21-1839 d. 10-13-1887 m. Solomon
W. Drake (no issue)
- vi. George b. 11-16-1841 d. 10-26-1866
- vii. Joseph C. b. 10-10-1843 d- 9-10-1918 m. Ruth Losey
5 ch: Flora L. m. Arlie Major
Floyd C. m. 1st C. Carmer m. 2nd M. Martin
William H. m. Emma Marring
Eston m. Jennie Jensen
Loie J. m. Harry Cole
- viii. Sarah E.A. b. 11-2-1845 d. 9-10-1871 m. Jason Cole
- ix. John I. b. 8-30-1849 d. 1-28-1907 m. Laura Williams
2 ch: Harriet and Alta
- x. Catherine L. b. 11-10-1854 d. 11-2-1891 m. L. Schenck
Merrell on Feb. 25, 1886. 2 ch. Elias m. Mabel---;
Edna m. Clinton Davenport

81. ELIZABETH (7) BAKER, Mary Van Etten Baker (6) see no. 65
b. Jan. 22, 1816; d. Dec. 1897
m. Abram Barns, b. Aug. 12, 1812; d. Jan. 27, 1884, son of
Abram and Ruth (Thomas) Barns

Ch: BARNES

110. Lucy b. Dec. 1, 1840 m. J.J. Parke

82. JAMES B. (7) VAN ETTEN, Joshua (6); see no. 66
b. Dec. 17, 1815 in Van Etten, N.Y.; d. Dec. 19, 1856 in Albany,
N.Y. Bur. in Rural Cem. at Albany
m. Jan. 22, 1840 Martha Hill, b. Sept. 25, 1815; d. Jan. 6, 1888
(tomb stone record, Albany) dau. of Joseph and Sarah (Bar-
croft) Hill. Joseph Hill was b. 9-25-1782, d. 9-25-1853
m. 11-30-1809, his wife was b. 6-8-1788, d. 4-8-1874, dau of

Ambrose Barcroft Sr. (1755-1817) and wife Francina----
b. May 1757 and d. Nov. 20, 1809.

Van Etten, N.Y. was named for James B.; he was an assembly-
man from Chemung Co. in 1852 and from Albany in 1855. His
widow m. George W. Buck. Ch. of James B. and Martha (Hill)
V.E. were:

111. i. George H. b. Oct. 30, 1840

112. ii. Albert Harrison b. Oct. 22, 1843

iii. Mary E. b. 10-27-1852 d. 8-26-1890 in Aspen, Colo.
unm., bur. Albany, N.Y.

83. HANNAH (7) WHITE, Cornelia (6) see no. 67

Secured no dates. m. Dr. Zalmon Chase as his 1st wife. He
practised in Cayuta, N.Y. in 1835.

ch: CHASE

113. i. Marvin Selwyn Chase (see 8th gen.)

ii. Elizabeth Jane

iii. Sarah Cornelia (called herself, Maud Louise)

84. MYNOR W. ENGLISH (7), Catherine Van Etten English (6)
see no. 68.

b. 1833; d. 1889

m. Charlotte Rayner (1849-1923) dau. of Andrew B. and Julia
(Burnham) Rayner. They had two sons:

114. i. Andrew (1875-)

ii. Burt

85. EDGAR LEMONT (7) VAN ETTEN, Cornelius (6); see no. 69.
Second son of Cornelius and Elizabeth (Cunion) V.E. b. Sept.
23, 1855 and engaged in farming in the town of Conashaugh,
Pike Co. Pa. Later became bookkeeper for the Orange Co.
Flint Glass works at Port Jervis, N.Y. and then auditor of the
Jamestown and Lake Erie R.R. at Jamestown, N.Y., but again
turned to farming at Freehold, N.J. where he was living in
1915. Married in 1873 Olive Augusta Rutan, b. Jan. 12, 1853,
dau. of Jose and Katherine (Smith) Rutan.

2 ch:

i. Bertha b. Jan. 17, 1879 m. Charles Wood of Milford

ii. Charles Rutan b. Oct. 6, 1875 in Conashaugh, Pa. Became
head of the Borough Development Co. of N.Y. and the Bos-
ton Development and Sanitary Co. of Boston.

m. April, 1896 Anna Stainer Hawkins of Port Jervis, N.Y.

i. Howard Hawkins ii. Charles Richard.

Ref. Bergen's Southern NY genealogies, p. 1012.

86. DR. CORNELIUS SMITH VAN ETTEN (7), Solomon (6); see no.
70. No dates secured.

m. Sarah Clarissa Hill. He was a well-known doctor of medicine and enjoyed an extensive practice during his active career. He died in 1913 at the age of 69, Rhinebeck, N.Y. Pres. of Board of Education many yrs., and trustee of two banks in the town. Member Masonic Order.

i. Rev. Edwin Jan Van Etten, D.D., b. Rhinebeck, N.Y. Apr. 28, 1884. unmarried. Educated at Amherst College and the Divinity School at Cambridge, Mass. Assistant for three years at Trinity Church, Boston; later was rector of Christ Church, N.Y. City and for more than ten years, rector of Calvary Episcopal Church in Pittsburg, Pa. He was the first clergyman to broadcast his service by radio in the United States, on the 2nd of January, 1921. "When he faced the microphone he was heard by less than one hundred radio listeners. It was the world's first broadcast of a religious service." (from an article by Ben Gross in the magazine "Pageant.") In 1946 Rev. Van Etten was again in Boston at the Cathedral Church of St. Paul. (See Who's Who in America)

ii. Dr. Royal Cornelius Van Etten (8) b. Rhinebeck, N.Y. Aug. 2, 1886. Received early education in Rhinebeck schools and at the Riverview Military Academy, at Poughkeepsie, N.Y. Entered Amherst College, grad. 1906 with B.A. degree. Rec'd degree of Doctor of Medicine at Columbia, 1910. In 1912-13 Dr. Van Etten engaged in extensive post grad. work in Berlin, Vienna, Rome and England. Now recognized as one of the leading authorities in Gynecology and Obstetrics. (See Ency. of American Biography, pub. by the American Hist. Co. 1927)

m. in 1916 at Rome, N.Y. Maria Louisa Greenfield. They have a son named Royal Cornelius Jr. b. Feb. 1, 1920-

87. JOHN HIXSON (7) VAN ETTEN, Solomon (6) see no. 70.

b. Oct. 13, 1843 in Del. Twp. d. Mar. 1, 1924 at 81 yrs.

He was admitted to the bar and practiced his profession at Milford, Pa. He became editor and proprietor of the Pike County Press, an influential local paper.

m. Adelaide, dau. of James and Amanda (Beamer) Kanouse. b. 1852 d. 1940

ch:

i. John deCamp Van Etten b. Jan. 3, 1881 in Milford. Attended school in Milford and Port Jervis, also at Rockland Collegiate Institute, Nyack, N.Y., where he received the Bachelor of Arts degree. He began his business career as a grocery store clerk, then engaged in an engineering corps. with a proposed railroad, Milford to Port Jervis.

Clerk, Chicago-Milwaukee and St. Paul. Traffic Dept., American Tobacco Co., N.Y. City. In 1905 he entered the employ of the Hodgman Rubber Co., of Tuckahoe, N.Y., where he eventually became Manager of the Company's works. Manager, F. S. Corr Co., Framingham, Mass. Cotextile Co., Newark, N.J. President, Vansul, Inc. Owner, Vansul & Company, Englewood, N.J. Is a past President of the Holland Society of N.Y. and Camp Fire Club of America. Is a member of St. Nicholas Society of N.Y. m. Oct. 18, 1906 at the Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church, Yonkers, N.Y. Jane Louise Seaman, b. Dec. 18, 1878 in N.Y. City. d. Mar. 23, 1945. dau. of Augustus G. and Mary Louise (Hodgman); m. 2nd. Jean Dirks.

They have four sons:

John Seaman b. Jan. 22, 1908 m. Juanita Thompson Entered Service Mar. 1942 - Ordinance Div., Metiternanean thru Africa, Sicily and Italy. Discharged Nov. 1946. Rating: Technical Sergeant.

Willet Kanouse b. Oct. 9, 1910 d. May 28, 1928

Jansen Hixson b. Nov. 25, 1914 m. Grayce Elizabeth Payne. Entered Service Nov. 1942 - European Theatre, Anti-Aircraft Unit attached to 13th. Armored Division in 3rd Army. Citations: Bronze Star. Assigned to Production Control Board of American Army in Germany. Later served as administration officer Chemical Warfare Service, Supreme Headquarters, American Expeditionary Force. Relieved from active duty March 1946 as a 1st. Lieutenant.

David Loveland b. June 23, 1917 m. Katheryne Thurmond Entered Service 1939 - Air Corps. Served in Caribbean and South Pacific. State service - Instructor of Dutch fliers. Flight Engineer. Discharged in 1945 as a Master Sergeant.

ii. Lila Barker Van Etten b. 1876 d. 1944. dau. of John Hixson Van Etten. m. X.P. Huddy.

iii. Bessie Hixson Van Etten. dau. of John Hixson Van Etten

The compiler is indebted to the Monroe Co. Hist. So. for the early Van Etten history by Lila Van Etten Huddy, wife of Hon. X.P. Huddy, an attorney of Milford, Pa. She was a dau. of John Hixson Van Etten.

To John deCamp V.E. who supplied the V.E. Coat-of-Arms, my sincerest thanks. (E.A.S.)

88. EDGAR (7) VAN ETTEN, Amos (6) see no. 71.

b. Apr. 15, 1843 Milford.

At the age of sixteen he went to Mount Vernon, Ind. where he was employed in a store. Returning to Hainesville, N.J. he enlisted in 1861 as a private in Company B, 2nd N.J. volunteers, and was mustered out in Aug. 1864, with the rank of Capt. in 1865 he was employed as a brakeman on the Erie R.R. later becoming vice-president of the New York Central R.R. and had charge of the Boston & Albany for ten years. Resigned in 1909 and was made pres. of the G. Washington Coffee Refining Co. of New York City. Director of Albany First National Bank and the Empire and Carnegie Trust companies of New York City. Member of Holland So. of N.Y. and the Sons of the American Revolution and many other organizations.)

m. 1st 1865 at Port Jervis, N.Y. Emma Lawrence b. Apr. 27, 1845; in Bridgetown, N.J., dau. of Charles M. Lawrence, a physician of Port Jervis, and his wife Margaret (Holmes); who d. Nov. 20, 1895, bur. Port Jervis Cem. He m. 2nd at Millersburg, Ohio June 30, 1897 Frances Cramblett, b. 1868, dau. of Rev. Ezra and Mary (Quillen) Cramblett.

Ch: by 1st m.

i. Nellie b. 1868 Port Jervis, m. Charles Risley of Pasadena, Cal.

ii. Edna b. 1880 at Port Jervis, m. Charles T. Slausen and resides at Tulane, Cal.

Ref: Bergen's Gen. of So. N.Y. Vol. 1, p. 261-262

89. CHARLES DEY PERFECT (7), Maria Stark (6) see no. 72.
b. 1833 Trenton, Del. Co. in Ohio and died 1912 at Marysville, O. m. 1859 Mary Elizabeth Moore. She died in 1913 in Marysville, O. Was the dau. of Cornelius and Hannah (Roberts) Moore.

i. Burton E. 1860-1910 m. 1st Ella Peck ch: Eber, Mary, Carrie and Chas. m. 2nd Maud Carter ch: Carter Parks

ii. Willis H. 1862-1926 bur. Marysville, O. m. 1886 in Marysville, Juliet Pope, b. 1863 Carrol, Ohio. dau. of David and Mary (Howard) Pope. They had: Hazel Lavinia b. 1889; Abbie Mariet 1893-1896; Florence Ella 1896 m. R.B. Morrison, Zanesville, O. in 1917, and had seven children viz: Suzanne 1918, Robert Jr. 1920, Mary 1924, Charles 1925, Clara L. 1928 d. 1928; William Henry 1932, Juliet E., 1924 killed by a bus 1936.

Hazel Lavinia Perfect (above) b. 1889 Marysville, O. m. 1912, same, George Stuart of Mechanicsburg, Ohio and Granville, Ohio, where he is a jeweler and optometrist. Two sons were born to them. 1. George Willis 1914,

m. 1940 at Granville, O. Dorothy Roseann Frazier, dau. of Walter and Ethel (Woodward) Frazier (deceased) of Frazeyburg, O. They have two children, Sandra Lee b. 1942 in Buffalo, N.Y. and James Robert b. 1944 Buffalo. They now reside in Bexley, Ohio. 2. Robert Joseph b. 1917, m. 1944 in Oakland, Cal. Ensign Olivia E. Grant, U.S.N. (n.c.). He was a Ph.M 1/c in U.S.N. They now reside in Mechanicsburg, Ohio.

(The above genealogy sent by Mrs. George Stuart, 516 W. Broadway, Granville, Ohio, in 1947)

Chapter 8

EIGHTH GENERATION

90. ANNA McKENZIE (8), Sally Van Etten (7) see no. 74
b. Milton Twp. Mahoning Co. Ohio
d. of typhoid fever
m. 9-30-1851 Usuel H. Probasco
ch: PROBASCO
i. Lee d.y.
115. ii. Luella, b. 4-5-1865 Macon Co. Mo.
91. HARRIET McKENZIE (8), John and Sally (Van Etten) McK. (7); see no. 74.
b. 6-22-1832 Milton Twp. Trumbull Co. Ohio (now Mahoning) in her grandfather's log house, where she lived for a few years after her marriage to Alexander Scott, Jr. At the age of sixteen Harriet was teaching school and some of her pupils were the same age as the teacher. Her brother in law, Robert Scott was a pupil and his first "award of merit" was twenty-five cents given by the teacher. In June 12, 1857 there appeared the following notice in the Mahoning Sentinel of Canfield: "Married at the Bostwick House, Canfield, on the 28th day of May, by elder J.W. Errett, Alexander Scott and Harriet McKenzie, both of Milton." Alexander was the son of Alex Sr. of the nearby Scott's corners now called the five points by this generation. He was b. 8-16-1825 and when old enough he became a farmer. In 1858 Alex'r purchased the old Thurber farm just over the line from Mah. in Portage Co. moving there a few years later. He built a two story brick addition to the house on the east side and in later years an addition was added to the west side and today the youngest son maintains his home there. This property has been in the Scott name ever since and but three families have lived in it since the original house was built by Amos Thurber in 1840 - claimed to have been the first frame house built east of Palmyra Center. Alex'r died 11-25-1887 and the widow carried on there on the farm with the aid of her children. The latch string was always out and the grandchildren always spent many happy summer days with grandmother - she had but few tasks for us - it was always "run and play." She passed

away on the 23 of Oct. in 1917 and both are buried in the West Cem. at Palmyra. There were eight children born to them:

Children: SCOTT

116. i. Effie Hadassah (Dassie) b. Nov. 29, 1857 m. Samuel Church
 - ii. Delbert died at the age of nine
 - iii. Wilbert m. 4-22-1885 to Elizabeth Davis. No living issue. Both died in Youngstown, O. and are bur. at Palmyra West.
117. iv. Rosel Perry b. 12-15-1863 m. Jesse Pool
118. v. Alexander Franklin b. 12-6-1865 m. Rosa Bell Lewis
 - vi. Elbert b. Mar. 1, 1869 went to Bridgeport Nebr. when a young man and was one of the pioneers there - had a hardware store for many years. m. 2-8-1910 Mabel Pool, sister to Mrs. R.P. Scott. They adopted a dau. Sylvia D. who was b. 4-5-1918. Is married and has three daughters.
 - vii. Ensign D. b. Mar. 14, 1872 - remained at the old home to help with the farming; never married. Sold farm Sept. 1949.
 - viii. Sylvia b. July 29, 1874 m. Oct. 20, 1909 Clark Rood of N.Y. state, who came to Diamond, O. to work with the Diamond Tile Co. He d. 1-27-1919 and she in Feb. of 1937. Both bur. Palmyra West. No issue.

92. JOHN WESLEY (8) VAN ET TEN, Jacob W. (7) see no. 75.
 b. Nov. 21, 1836 Wood Co. Ohio d. same 1911
 m. Eliza J. Bell, 12-23-1860 in Wood Co., b. 1841 d. 1917

Children: VAN ET TEN

- i. John A. living in 1943 at 1410 Canton Ave. Detroit, Mich. b. in Toledo, O.
119. ii. Charles E. (9), b. Toledo, O. Aug. 19, 1867 living there in 1948 m. Oct. 6, 1892 in Pemberville, O. to Clara Estella Smith. b. 3-29-1873. d. Toledo 6-25-1927

children:

- i. Charles W. b. Toledo, O. 9-14-1895. Served World War I. Dec. 12, 1917 to June 21, 1918 m. at Toledo in 1920 Miss Helen Wolf of Springfield, Ohio. children: Wesley b. Feb. 1922. Melvin b. Feb. 1924. Both the above served in World War II.
- ii. Harley b. Toledo Oct. 2, 1897 - single. Served in World War II from Sept. 1942 through Mar. 1943.
- iii. Clara M. b. Toledo, July 16, 1900 m. in Toledo in 1924 Joseph Stapleton. Children: Joan, Betty and Robert Stapleton.

- iv. Dora Gertrude b. Fremont, O. 7-6-1910 m. in Toledo in 1939 to Royal Battershell. Residence South Bend, Ind. Children: female b. Feb. 1941

93. ANNA M. (8) VAN ET TEN, Jacob W. (7);(see no. 75.) b. Sept. 19, 1842, lived Bonham Texas in 1891 and in Ft. Worth in 1904. d. in 1933 at Richardson, Texas. m. Gustavus A. Helbing (abt 1844-1935)

Children: HELBING

- i. Harry H. (Dr.) Living at 3903 Olive St. St. Louis, Mo. in 1947. m. Three ch: Eugenia, Edward and Steven
- ii. Ruie in 1947 living Richardson Tex. m. Sherwood Spotts, publisher "Harben & Spotts" of Richardson and Dallas.
- iii. Arlington living 1515 Paseo De Vaca, San Angelo, Tex. m. Ruby---- Children: Arlington J., Clara, Anna Edmund d. Mar. 18, 1947 and Steven.

For further information on this branch, contact Mrs. Sherwood Spotts at Richardson, Texas.

94. IRA S. VAN ET TEN (8), Jacob W. (7) see no. 75; b. Feb. 12, 1848; d. 8-18-1927. Lived Toledo, Ohio. m. Jan. 28, 1874 Susan T. Brower.

children: VAN ET TEN

- i. Marietta Lavinia (May), b. 12-4-1874; m. 9-25-1897 Joseph Guy Johnson Ch: Norman Robert, b. 10-6-1898; Marjorie Annett, b. 5-10-1901. Lives 406 E. Washington St., Shreveport, La. in 1947.
- ii. Benjamin Ira Van Etten, b. 12-16-1877; m. 3-4-1909 Grace Crane. Children: Van Etten Cecil b. 5-8-1908; Marvin b. 8-28-1909; Harold, b. 5-12-1911; Mildred, b. 4-22-1913; Benjamin, b. 4-23-1915; Gordon, b. 1-23-1918 and Doris b. 11-9-1920.
- iii. Violet Virginia Van Etten, m. 6-30-1903 Walter Thomas Cox. Children: Cox. Esther Susan b. 1-24-1905; George Albert, b. 12-10-1906. Living in Toledo, O. in 1949.

95. ELLEN A. VAN ET TEN (8), Jacob W. (7) see no. 75; b. 1-30-1852 Pemberville, Wood Co. O. d. at Angola, Ind. blind and helpless, at the home of her dau. Mrs. Ramsey, in 1948. m. 1st, 4-10-1872 at Fremont, O. to Emory W. Pember who was b. 5-17-1848. They lived at Pemberville, O., later moved to Ft. Worth, Texas where he died 11-2-1906. Two years later Mrs. Pember returned to Ohio where on 12-27-1922 she m. Louis E. Hill. He died 6-26-1927.

Children: PEMBER

- i. Clyde Harry b. Pemberville, 10-26-1873; m. at Denison,

Tex. 2-2-1904 to Myrtle Hotchkiss. Ch: Anna Jean, b. 3-22-1910, m. Harold Majonnier and reside at Walla Walla, Wash. They have two children - Erwin b. 1932 and Barbara b. 1934. Emogene, b. July 1911, m. Remy Hudson at Alexandria, La. reside in Los Angeles, Cal. Children: Jimmie Hudson b. 1936 at Chi. Ill. and John (adopted) b. 1942 Chi. Ill.

ii. Ovid E. b. 7-14-1876; d. 7-31-1880 Pemberville.

iii. Eulalie Dora, b. 1-24-1882 Pemberville, m. at Toledo, 12-23-1911 Samuel W. Ramsey of Angola, Ind. Children: Dorothy Eudora b. 6-21-1913 Angola, Ind. m. 1-7-1933 H.L. Smith whose infant dau. called Hope Joan b. and d. in Dec. 1923.

iv. Mark Van Etten b. 12-11-1887 d. Toledo, O. 7-24-1928. m. Iva Reddick. Children: Mark Jr. b. Toledo, m. Elaine ----- and has a son called Mark, b. 3-21-1944. Mark Jr. served in World War II. Iva m. 2nd. William Dickinson and resides in Toledo.

96. MARTHA M. PATTERSON (8), Ann Van Etten Patterson (7) see no. 76. b. 11-13-1830 in Milton Twp. Trum. Co. O. d. 4-3-1890; m. 1-1-1851 to Robert Carson, b. Pa. 12-12-1828, d. Milton Twp. 11-16-1901. They lived along the Mahoning River right near where the long bridge crosses Milton Lake. The land and home were sacrificed when the Lake was made in 1917.

Children: CARSON

i. Willis b. 5-14-1853; d. 7-17-1874 unm.

ii. Eva, b. 2-24-1856; d. 4-14-1930 at Youngstown, Ohio. m. 2-24-1878 to Orlando O. Shively (1856-1924). Both are bur. Vaughn Cem. Milton. They had one son, Robert, b. 12-1-1888. unm.

iii. Leona, (commonly known as Ona) b. 12-28-1858; d. 9-1-1935 in Youngstown, O. m. 9-13-1879 to John W. Rose of Palmyra, O. from whom she was later divorced. No issue.

97. LAURA ETTA PATTERSON (8), Anna Van Etten Patterson (7), see no. 76. b. 1-26-1832, Milton; d. 8-24-1890; m. 10-15-1852 to Simeon Jennings Mowen b. Deerfield, Portage Co. O. 11-4-1828 and d. Chicago, Ill. 11-11-1913. They had but one child.

120- i. Ella Florence Mowen b. 6-18-1853.

98. JOHN VANETTEN PATTERSON (8), Anna Van Etten Patterson (7) see no. 76. b. 1-26-1834 Milton, d. Chillicothe, Mo. 9-1-1889. m. 7-8-1858 Victoria Thompson. d. abt 1872. Children, two.

- i. Celia Patterson b. 1-16-1860; d. 7-17-1881, unm.
- ii. Flora Patterson b. 8-20-1861 d. Chi. Ill. 11-12-1887
m. 10-4-1882 Edwin V. Blois, No ch.

John V. Patterson m. 2nd 7-23-1885 Mrs. Adaline Tiffany McHolland, she was b. in Ohio 12-29-1841; d. 2-9-1908. No issue.

99. ELIZABETH C. PATTERSON (8), Anna Van Etten Patterson (7), see no. 76. b. 3-6-1836; d. 1-13-1898. m. 5-19-1859 at Canfield, Ohio, to Johnson J. Moore (sometimes known as John J.); b. 8-3-1835 d. 11-18-1925. Ch. MOORE
- i. Douglas Moore b. 9-13-1860, d. 5-25-1869
 - ii. Gilson H. Moore b. 7-19-1870 d. 1-14-1911 at Dayton, Ohio. m. 1-4-1892 to Laura Craig of Ottawa, Ohio. They were divorced in Putman Co. O. Common Pleas Court at May term, 1898. No issue.
100. SIDNEY RUSSELL PATTERSON (8), Anna Van Etten Patterson (7), see no. 76. b. Milton, 8-6-1839; d. 7-7-1895; m. 2-16-1865 to Charlotte Lowe Case b. 3-29-1845 d. 9-13-1875. Ch. i. Burton Case Patterson, b. 10-18-1866, d. 1-6-1903. m. 12-23-1896 Virginia Ruth Maunders who was b. 6-15-1882 and is now Mrs. Thomas J. England, residing at Seattle, Wash. They had two children: Frederick Sidney, Nov. 23, 1897, d. 10-26-1940, m. 9-28-1922 at Lake Charles, La. to Lily Hall who now resides at Gueydan, La. No issue. Russell Maunders (2nd child) b. 9-21-1899 m. 12-2-1930 to Grace Edith Knowles who was b. at Sarcoxie, Mo. 9-18-1910 and their only child is Jeanne Ruth Patterson, b. 8-18-1934. Mrs. F.S. Patterson remarried and is now Mrs. Preddie Gindry of Gueydan, La.
121. ii. Anna Laurie Patterson b. 8-15-1868 d. 7-23-1937; m. 7-21-1887 Orlando Milton Shinn (1865-8-25-1947). They had two children. see 9th gen.
- iii. Grace Irene, b. 12-23-1871 d. 5-4-1934 unm.
 - iv. Mary Charlotte (commonly known as Mayme) b. 7-23-1874; d. 12-8-1896, unm.
- On Jan. 17, 1877 Sidney Russell Patterson m. 2nd. Effie Marie Sanderson, b. New Carlisle, O. 6-30-1855 d. 1-3-1940. There were five ch. of this marriage.
- i. Emma Louise, b. 2-21-1878 d. 8-1-1897
 - ii. Martha Odessa, b. 2-25-1881 d. 9-9-1915 m. 11-10-1902 to Carl O. McCann, b. at Zanesville, O. 8-16-1880. Now living at Charleston, W. Va. Their only child is Sidney Webster McCann, b. 7-10-1905. m. 9-9-1933 to Ellen Elizabeth Medden who was b. at Seneca Falls, N.Y.

5-8-1909. They have two ch: James Allen, b. 4-3-1935 and Martha Patterson b. 9-15-1944.

- iii. Blanche b. 4-6-1883 m. 9-8-1909 Louis G. Goetz who was b. at Greenville, O. 1-28-1883. Four ch. Jane (1) b. 11-14-1910 m. 6-10-1940 John S. Lea and have two ch. John S. Lea III b. 3-9-1941 and Mary Patterson Lea b. 3-3-1945. 2. Louis Goetz Jr. b. 9-13-1915 m. 7-5-1941 Marion Saisall - 2 ch: James Edward b. 2-23-1944 and Jeannette b. 2-3-1947. 3. Joseph Sidney Goetz b. 7-10-1918 m. 6-26-1943 Mary Eloise Calvin. They have 4 ch: Cynthia 5-20-1945; twins Mary Abigail and Joseph Andrew b. 10-6-1946 and Laurel Elizabeth b. 8-28-1949. 4. John Kinert Goetz, b. 5-28-1922. m. 6-11-1949 Mollie Clark Wilson, at Elsay, Ill.
- iv. Vada Patterson b. 4-30-1886 m. 10-3-1906 James Michael Cronin who was b. in Hartford City, Ind. 3-9-1885; ch. 3. 1. James Russell Cronin, b. 9-4-1907 d. 4-7-1923 2. Helen Virginia b. 10-18-1910 m. 10-26-1935 Patrick Reynolds Larkin, b. 4-13-1903 and their three ch. are: Michael Bernard b. Mar. 25, 1941. d. 8-20-1945; Helen Virginia b. 9-20-1943 and Patrick Reynolds b. 11-25-1945. 3. Robert Paul Cronin b. 4-8-1924; unkm.
- v. Helen Leah Patterson, b. at Hartford City, Ind. 5-9-1894. m. 7-25-1917 Clarence Shrack, b. at Dunkirk, Ind. 12-21-1893. They have two ch: 1. Helen Patricia b. Chi. Ill. 6-21-1919 m. 5-27-1942 John Kennedy Segrave b. at Manistee, Mich. 6-28-1920 and their ch. are: Helen Clare b. Feb. 6, 1945 and John Christopher b. 3-5-1947. 2. Susannah Patterson Shrack b. at Chi. Ill. 9-4-1932.

101. LESTER PATTERSON (8), Anna Van Etten Patterson (7). see no. 76. b. 12-24-1841; d. 1-28-1924 m. 11-20-1866 Melissa Ann Kibler, b. 10-13-1843 and d- 1-25-1899. They had five ch:
- i. Hugh Archibald b. 11-2-1868; d. 6-26-1943 m. 1-15-1896 May Usher Griffin b. 4-29-1866. They have three ch: 1. Lester Archibald b. 3-28-1899; m. 6-9-1923 Valborg Olson, b. at Cottonwood, Minn. 12-8-1899 and their children are Ann Patterson, Dec. 23, 1932 and Hugh Lester Patterson b. Jan. 15, 1938. 2. Roland Snell b. 2-18-1900 m. 5-6-1924 Aletha Kenny b. at Oakland, Cal. 10-16-1901. Their only child Roland Snell Jr. b. Nov. 12, 1905. 3. Helen Patterson b. 11-12-1905 m. 6-12-1926 Ernest Julian Davis. Children: 1. Ernest Julian Jr. 7-26-1928 and 2. Patricia b. 5-5-1932.

- ii. Eugene Lester Patterson, born October 13, 1870; died April 8, 1924. Married June 25, 1898 to Elizabeth McWilliams, (born April 19, 1874, and now residing at El Encanto Hotel, Santa Barbara, California).

Children: Two.

- (1) Harriet Anne (Patterson) Cathcart, born April 27, 1900; died December 15, 1947. Married February 23, 1924 to William Jennison Farrington, (born at Buffalo, N.Y. February 7, 1898; died August 29, 1929). There were no children of this marriage. Married (2nd) February 7, 1931, to Noble Aydelotte Cathcart (born at Montgomery, Alabama, May 14, 1898). Children: Two.

(1) Lucy Anne Cathcart, born at New York City, October 10th, 1932.

(2) Elizabeth Noble Cathcart, born New York City, June 14, 1935.

- (2) Elizabeth Dana (Patterson) Morgan, born December 31, 1907. Married December 22, 1931 to George Macready (born Aug. 29, 1899). Children: Three.

(1) Michael McWilliams Macready, born October 3, 1932.

(2) Marjorie Macready, born August 2, 1934

(3) Elizabeth Macready, born June 1, 1938

This marriage was terminated by divorce _____
1943.

Married (2nd) July 31, 1943 to Reginald Heber Towler Morgan (born Oct. 14, 1905). Children: Two.

(1) Pamela Ann Morgan, born at New York City, May 24, 1944

(2) Reginald Heber Towler Morgan, third, born at New York City, March 7, 1948.

- iii. Bessie Josephine Patterson b. 8-22-1872 m. 6-9-1896
John Calvin Cotton b. 7-17-1869, d. 11-1-1938. Only child
is John Patterson Cotton b. May 10, 1898, m. 8-4-1931
Marian Sullivan b. Feb. 26, 1902. No issue.
- iv. Marjorie Elizabeth b. 3-13-1875 m. 6-23-1897 to Charles
Sumner Hale, b. 4-1-1870. They were divorced about
1917. She d. 10-10-1947. Only child Sumner Patterson
Hale b. Nov. 17, 1898, d. 9-17-1933, unm.
- v. Ivah Fern Patterson, b. 3-24-1877, unm. but she adopted
one child: Anne Victoria, b. May 24, 1919, m. 6-25-1938
Robert Bernard. One child was b. to this m. named
Michael Patterson Bernard b. May 3, 1939. Anne V. was
divorced from Robert Bernard and on June 20, 1943 she

m. George Kilmer Williams, then Michael Patterson Bernard was adopted legally by Mr. Williams. Peter Kilmer Williams was b. 8-24-1945 and John Cotton Williams was b. 1-14-1948.

Lester Patterson (8) no. 101 was m. 2nd. June 17, 1901 to (Mrs.) Catherine Myrick who was b. in Mass. approximately 1850 and d. in Aug. 1929. No children to this m.

102. SARAH PATTERSON (8), Ann Van Etten Patterson (7). see no. 76. b. Milton, 6-27-1846; d. 1-12-1924 at Ravenna, Ohio at the home of Ralph Stevens. m. at Warren, Ohio, 11-20-1866 to Harrison Jones Ewing, b. at Southington, Ohio. 4-14-1846 and d. at Cleveland, O. May 2, 1903. Mr. Ewing was admitted to the bar at Canfield, Ohio in 1876. Removed to Cuyuhoga Co. O. from Mahoning Co. Children, three.
122. i. Mark Clayton Ewing b. 1869
123. ii. Harrison Watson Ewing b. 1874
- iii. George Patterson Ewing b. at Milton, Mahoning Co. O. 10-14-1876. m. at Wausau, Wis. 11-15-1919 Freda Marie Johannes, b. at Merrill, Wis., Dec. 13, 1884. No ch.
103. HELEN AUGUSTA PATTERSON (8), Ann Van Etten Patterson (7). see no. 76. (known among the relatives and friends as "Gusta") b. 6-14-1850; d. 6-21-1925 at Milton. m. 5-22-1873 Benjamin Jones, b. 5-25-1847 and d. 5-31-1910. They lived all their lives in the old home in Milton in which the daughter Clara Elizabeth was born and makes her home. Clara was b. Mar. 27, 1875; m. 6-12-1901 to Peter Duke Brown, b. 7-23-1872 and d. Milton, May 11, 1925. Children, two boys:
- i. Braden Patterson Brown, b. Mar. 21, 1914, m. 7-24-1946 Sarah Wilhelmine Leimbach, b. at Greenford, Mahoning Co. O. 2-26-1916. A son called Thomas Paul was b. at Salem, Ohio (Hospital) July 15, 1948. They live in the old home with Mrs. Peter Brown. Braden served in the air force in World War II.
- ii. Hugh Archibald Brown, b. 9-26-1916 Milton, m. 6-10-1942 to Elizabeth Kate White of Kent, O. b. there May 29, 1920. children: Judith Ann b. Feb. 16, 1946: Peter Duke II, b. at Akron, O. 4-16-1948 and Stephen Hugh b. 3-23-1949 Hugh A. also served in World War II.
104. CELIA PATTERSON (8), Anna Van Etten Patterson (7) see no. 76. (we believe that she was christened as Lois Celia but was never called anything but Celia) b. 11-26-1852; d. 10-31-1928 at Revenna, O. m. 4-20-1873 Ralph W. Stephens, son of David and Jane (Scott); b. 12-3-1852, d. 10-24-1942 at Revenna,

O. They lived for many years in Milton before moving to Ravenna. They were the parents of four children. Surname Stevens.

- i. Florence G. b. Milton 12-4-1874 m. 6-20-1894 Seaton R. Jones, b. 11-3-1869. One child, Paul M. Jones b. 12-23-1895, m. 5-28-1929 to Kathleen Nancy Jones (no relation) b. in Ohio City, O. 3-12-1907 and d. Ravenna, O. 12-12-1946. No issue.
- ii. Byron S. b. 11-15-1877; d. 7-29-1920 in Cal., unm.
- iii. Scott, b. at Milton, 10-2-1879 m. 9-29-1909 at Portland, Ore. to Millicent Ayers, b. near Scondia, Kas. 1-4-1877. They have one dau. Iris, b. at Portland, Ore. 11-24-1913, m. 9-29-1935 Leonard Orval Thomas, b. at Salem, Ore. 5-4-1911 (divorced) No issue. Iris m. 2nd 2-4-1942 to Clemoth Rea Tidd, b. at Ore. City, Ore. 1-25-1910; d. 9-11-1947. No ch.
- iv. Lester Patterson Stevens b. 11-1-1897; d. 9-19-1917 at Ravenna, O. unm.

105. WILMOT (8) VAN ETTEN, Peter Gumaer (7) see no. 77.
b. Oct. 21, 1862 d. 3-3-1939 m. 6-13-1888 Jessie Trumbo
b. 6-1-1868 d. 1-7-1945; he moved to Illinois from Port
Jervis at the age of 17 or 18.

Ch:

- i. Claire Trumbo b. 5-13-1889 m. 8-31-1911 Sina S. Bailey.
He is a lawyer and lives in Pasadena, Cal.
- ii. Walcott Gumaer b. 7-25-1891 m. 10-21-1914 Anne Cavell;
b. 7-21-1889; lives Mendota, Ill. (1947) is with the Conco
Engineering works. Ch: inf. son b. Oct. 21, 1915 and d.
at b.
Donald Wilmot b. Dec. 1, 1916
Ruth Cavell b. Sept. 13, 1924
Anne Elizabeth b. Mar. 22, 1926
- iii. Frank Campbell b. Nov. 3, 1899 m. 4-17-1927 Alma
Erhler, d. Apr. 14, 1941

(Note: There are a great many Van Ettens around Havanna, Ill. They went there in a very sizable group from New York State to take up original land grants.)

106. DR. NATHAN BRISTOL VAN ETTEN (8) Dr. Solomon (7),
see no. 78. Only son of Dr. Solomon and Maria (Bristol) Van
Etten; b. June 22, 1866 in Waverly, N.Y. Attended public and
high school in Port Jervis and traveled and studied in Europe
in 1884-5. Entered Cornell Univ. and later received his
diploma from Bellevue Medical College in 1890. He established

himself in the Bronx Borough after one year practice with his father in Port Jervis. Pres. of Bronx Medical Society, Chairman for the Bronx Great New York Medical Asso., member American Med. Asso. and New York State and County Med. Asso. Attending physician of Union Hospital, director of the Cosmopolitan bank and junior vice-commander of Lafayette Camp, Sons of Veterans, and a member of the Holland Society of New York. With his family he is affiliated with the Fordham Manor Dutch Reformed church founded in 1696.

m. May 17, 1893 in Port Jervis, Josephine Swinton b. Feb. 18, 1867. dau. of John and Harriet (Romaine) Swinton; d. 1-4-1912 N.Y. City

Children:

- i. Eleanor Swinton b. Nov. 21, 1895
- ii. Katherine S. June 27, 1897
- iii. John S. b. Jan. 13, 1906
- m. 2nd July 1918. Elizabeth Read of N.Y.
- (See p. 260-261 Bergen's Gen. of So. N.Y. pub. 1915 by Lewis Hist. Co.)

107. MARIA VAN ETTEN (8) Daniel Ennis (7) no. 79 q.v.
b. Mar. 21, 1832 d. Jan. 24, 1916; bd. Delaware Cem. Dingmans Ferry, Pike Co. Pa. (dau. of Daniel Ennis and Lucinda V.G. Van Etten) - m. on Dec. 3, 1853 to David Owen Brodhead b. July 24, 1824, d. Jan. 3, 1911; (bd. same) Res. in Delaware Twp. Pike Co. Pa.

Children: BRODHEAD

- i. John V. m. Margaret Cron; both died in Nebraska.
Issue: Ada, Arthur, Edna, Owen, Harold
- ii. Hannah E. m. John C. Titman; res. Matamoras, Pike Co. Pa. Issue: Sabilla, Harry, Avery, Clara, Esma, m. Thomas Clark
- iii. Daniel V. b. Sept. 21, 1858, d. June 25, 1941, m. Mary Van Campen bd. Bushkill, Cem. Pike Co. Pa.
Issue: Lulu, m. G. Wells Van Campen; res. Bushkill, Pa. (5 ch.) Kenneth d. 1947; Mildred m. Walter Fond (2 sons); Allen; Daniel; Bernard. Helen, m. Joseph Schultzbach (no children); res. Phila, Pa.
- iv. Ruth L. b. Oct. 12, 1860, d. Apr. 1908, m. Rev. Morris T. Bibbs on Apr. 7, 1883 (no ch.)

124. v. Blanche b. Jan. 15, 1863, d. Oct. 1943, m. Oct. 6, 1883 Robinson Shepherd b. Mar. 15, 1846, d. Aug. 27, 1918; res. Matamoras, Pike Co. Pa.; bd. Delaware Cem. Dingmans Ferry, Pa.
- vi. Garret b. May 7, 1865, d. Oct. 19, 1898 m. Mary Schuyler
Issue: Ruth, Garret, Charles

- vii. George b. Oct. 3, 1867, d. Oct. 10, 1893; bd. Del Cem. Pike Co. Pa.
- viii. Hugh b. Dec. 20, 1869, m. Emma Shepherd
Issue: John, David, William, Haines
- ix. Charles b. Oct. 21, 1872, d. Nov. 7, 1893; bd. Del Cem. Pike Co. Pa.

108. HANNAH JANE (8) VAN ETTEN, Daniel (7) see no. 79.
b. Sept. 1, 1847, d. Dec. 24, 1927 (dau. of Daniel Ennis and Lucinda V.G. Van Etten) - m. Sept. 9, 1868 to Joseph A. Buckley b. June 24, 1842, d. Nov. 12, 1906. He enlisted on Sept. 15, 1862 at Dingmans Ferry, Pa. in Union service; member of Co. B. 151st. P.V.I., Capt. 1. Westbrook, Col. George McFarland commanding; wounded at Gettysburg on July 3, 1863. They res. at Dingmans Ferry until after 1900 when they migrated to Lowell, Wash. where the entire family has resided.

Children: born in Pike Co. Pa. BUCKLEY

- i. Benjamin R. b. Nov. 17, 1869, d. Jan. 1930, m. July 1921, Minnie E; Moldenhauer (no ch.)
- ii. Clarence E. b. Oct. 19, 1871, d. Aug. 25, 1903, m. June 5, 1895, Katherine A. Darragh
 - i. Herbert Darragh b. July 9, 1896, m. Ruth H. Huntley b. July 17, 1900; Children 2; Merton Clarence b. Apr. 16, 1923; served in World War II; Janice Mae b. May 14, 1926.
 - ii. Leslie Clarence b. July 22, 1898, d. Sept. 17, 1924, m. Elsie Anderson (no ch.)
- iii. James D. b. Sept. 1, 1873, d. 1904 unmarried
- iv. John M. b. Oct. 1, 1876, m. Phene L. Smith on June 28, 1911.
 - i. Margaret b. Apr. 18, 1913, d. Apr. 29, 1941 unm.
- v. Frank L. b. Aug. 19, 1880, m. Mary L. Ross on May 1, 1917 (5 ch.) Frances Mary, m. Fred Daph; Joseph Ross, m. Cath. Robering; Helen Katherine, m. Robt. Malay; Anita Jeanne, m. Orville Walker; Robert Frank b. 1929.
- vi. Fred A. b. April 1, 1884, m. Eliz. L. Huntley on May 11, 1909 (3 ch.) Richard S. b. Mar. 25, 1911, m. Harriette L. Rasmussen; Erva Jane b. Mar. 20, 1918, m. Frank E. Milton; Robert H. b. Nov. 9, 1921; killed in action June 25, 1943; Tech. Sargent, 384 Bomb Group, 547 Bomb Squadron Air Corps.
- vii. Luella b. April 18, 1886, m. Leeds A. Billings.
b. August 9, 1882 on June 2, 1908; res. Lowell, Washington. (2 children; Lt. Margaret M. b. April 16, 1910 killed on Hospital "Ship Comfort" at Okinawa, nurse

on this hospital ship; d. Apr. 28, 1945; Eloise G. b. Apr. 28, 1911, m. Van R. Mackenstadt on Jan. 1, 1934 (2 ch.)

109. CORNELIA ELLEN (8) VAN ETTEN, Daniel Ennis (7), see no. 79. b. Delaware Twp. Pike Co. Pa. 7-15-1853; d. 11-2-1930 Shawnee-on-Delaware, Monroe Co. Pa. m. 2-25-1879 to Jacob Kober, b. 3-22-1841; d. 6-25-1908 at Shawnee-on-Del. They were both members of the Shawnee Pres. Ch. where Mr. Kober served as Elder from 1898 until his death in 1908. In her girlhood days Cornelia Ellen Van Etten studied art and painted some lovely landscapes, flowers, etc. She also did pencil and charcoal sketches. Most of these paintings have been handed down to her children and grandchildren.

ch. KOBER

125. i. Mary b. 2-25-1880 m. Victor H. Dimmick
 ii. Sybilla b. 12-17-1881 m. A. Frank Treible
 ch: (a) Edna unm. deceased
 (b) Paul Henry m. Lois Hoffner - child Jack.
 iii. Laura b. 3-5-1890 m. Charles H. Leach - no issue.
 iv. Frank b. 9-5-1884; d. 4-5-1887 bd. Shawnee Cem.

110. LUCY (8) BARNS, Elizabeth Baker (7) see no. 81; b. Dec. 1, 1840, d. June 21, 1902. m. Nov. 6, 1861 James Jackson Parke b. Sept. 4, 1840, d. Apr. 21, 1921, son of David and Susan Eliza (Parke) Parke.

ch:

- i. (Barton) Martel Parke b. May 19, 1873, d. Nov. 2, 1924 m. Sept. 4, 1893 Cora Belle Simpson dau. of Samuel and Caroline (Barnes) Simpson
 ii. Helen Mary Parke b. Aug. 26, 1901 m. Oct. 9, 1924 Walter E. Loomis b. June 12, 1898 son of Walter Scott and Mary Jane (Anderson) Loomis.
 Children: LOOMIS Living 426 Welch Ave., Ames, Iowa in 1947. (Walter) David Loomis b. Mar. 2, 1926 Ensign USNR, Mare Island, Calif. 1944-47 (see also p. 879 "American Men of Science")
 Robert Simpson Loomis b. Oct. 11, 1928
 Both boys were Iowa State University students, in 1947.

111. GEORGE H. VAN ETTEN (8), James B. (7) see no. 82. b. Oct. 30, 1840 in Van Etten, N.Y. d. Sept. 9, 1894 in Albany, N.Y. m. Augusta Waters, b. 2-28-1843; d. 5-31-1907 in Pasadena, Cal. bur. Albany. res. of Little Rock, Ark.

Ch:

- i. James Arthur b. 1868; d. 1915 in Ark. bur. Albany. m. Frances Rayburn. d. 1939; left no issue.

- ii. George A. b. 1872 d. 11-22-1923 Orilla, Canada, bur. Albany. Bachelor.

112. ALBERT HARRISON VAN ETEN (8), James B. (7) see no. 82. b. Oct. 22, 1843 in Van Etten, N.Y. d. Dec. 8, 1897 in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Can. (Kildenan Cem). m. 1870 in Bay City, Mich. to Florence E. Green, b. 1852 d. 5-17-1906 Flint, Mich. dau. of Judge Sanford and Mary Ann (McKnight) Green.

Ch:

- 126. i. Albert Sanford b. Dec. 19, 1871
- ii. Margaret (Daisy) died 6-16-1906 in Flint, Mich. and bur. there. Spinster.

113. MARVIN SELWYN CHASE (8) Hannah White Chase (7), see no. 83. b. Feb. 4, 1844, d. in Chicago in June 27, 1914. m. Annie Rose Adams b. South Newfane, Vermont, Oct. 6, 1848 dau. of Edward and Hannah Mari (Orvis) Adams. Buried at the Oakwood Cemetery in the south side in Chicago.

three daughters:

- i. Florence Adams Chase, b. Mar. 25, 1873
- ii. Mary Elizabeth Chase b. July 25, 1875 d. June 27, 1900
- iii. Helen Van Etten Chase b. July 11, 1877.

In April 1947 the compiled received a long letter from Florence Adams Chase of 3251 South Wabash St. Chi. Ill., giving some of the family history - excerpts are here given. "We have lived in this one house for sixty-one years now and have seen many sad changes in Chicago. Our house is in close proximity to the Armour Institute of Technology, a fine school - it's now called Illinois Inst. of Tech. and we will soon have to move for the Institute's growth.

I graduated from Vassar College at Poughkeepsie, N.Y. with the class of 1894 - fifty three years ago. I was twenty-two years at the Fuley High School on the west side of Chi. My sister Helen went two years to Vassar and finished at our Univ. in Chi. in 1900, Ph.B. She has been a business school teacher teaching Gregg shorthand, but stopped a few years ago. Mr. Gregg was our first shorthand teacher but he never got his system into our public schools here. I had to learn Munson Shorthand when I entered into our Chi. system 30 yrs ago.

My father and mother were good people and good to us children. As a young man during the Civil War he went across the plains from Omaha guarding immigrants. No railroad then west of Omaha, so he rode horse back. The group of young men were under the leadership of a Captain Crawford I think, hired by the government. I have his discharge paper. He went to Boise City, Idaho and did some placer mining for gold dust. He had passage engaged in San Francisco to go

to China, but got homesick and instead went by boat to Panama and across the Isthmus on the old Spanish trail, then to Havanna and New York. He was his mother's darling and she was so glad when he came back to Elmira. On the train he met two soldiers and discovered that they had married his sisters, Ira H. Wilder and William H. Brainerd. He then came west and settled in Chi. in 1865, being a clerk in the freight department of the old Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway. (Now called N.Y. Central) He rose to be Asst. Gen'l Freight agent in charge of the Chi. freight office. Mother came here from Vermont in 1869 and got a place as a public school teacher. They were both living here during the great Chi. fire of 1871 but were married the next year. Neither of them was burned out but might have been. My father had silver hair and real blue eyes - my sister Helen looks like him. I am small and look like the Adams'. Mother had a remarkable new England memory and remembered accurately her childhood, everything and everybody she ever knew. Thirty years ago I became interested in my family tree. We are true 'early Americans' we come from William Chase, 1630 and Henry Adams, 1638.

Cornelia Van Etten was my father's grandmother and a good strong character I take it. I have her daguerotype and also a photo of a silhouette of Maria Schick, her mother.

Harmon White a revolution soldier and his wife and family left Conn. (Fairfield, I think) in 1800 and came to Southern Central N.Y. and was a pioneer in Cayuta, Schuyler Co. A lot of revolution soldiers did the same thing. It was wild unsettled country - some of them from Pennsylvania, among them James Van Etten, also a Rev. sol. That is how Hiram White, son of Harmon, met and married Cornelia Van Etten. Their daughter Hannah White in 1835 met a young doctor who was starting out to practice in Cayuta, and he was Dr. Zalmon Fowler Chase. They later moved to Elmira during the civil war."

114. ANDREW (8) ENGLISH, Mynor W. (7) see no. 84. (1875-)
 m. 1st Ora B. Horton (1875-1928)
 m. 2nd Clara Eleanora Ervin of Omaha, Nebr. Children all by first marriage.

Dr. Andrew English received degree of Doctor of Veterinary Medicine from Cornell 1905. With Bureau of Animal Industry, U.S. Agriculture Dept., and retired 1937. (Hobbies, flowers and genealogy) Res. 511 E. Olive Ave., Monrovia, Calif.

Children: Surname ENGLISH

i. Rayner, m. Eva Thompson

ii. Shirley Mae, b. Aug. 11, 1930

iii. Vergil Rayner, b. Nov. 16, 1931

iv. Betty Jean, b. Aug. 1, 1933

v. Donna Rae, b. May 19, 1935

- ii. Emma m. 1st Elmer Beier, July 25, 1930; 2nd Edward Machacek, May 9, 1942.
 - i. Eugene Henry, b. Aug. 3, 1931
 - ii. Esther Charlotte, b. June 25, 1934
- iii. Mahlon Walter m. Mary Colman Feb. 21, 1936
 - i. Robert Gary, b. May 21, 1938
- iv. Charlotte m. Elmer Freeburg, June 25, 1938
 - i. Elizabeth Ann, b. July 31, 1940
 - ii. Marie Charlotte, b. Aug. 1, 1944

Chapter 9

NINTH GENERATION

115. LUELLA PROBASCO (9), Anna McKenzie (8) see no. 90; b. 4-5-1865 in Macon, Mo. Anna, her mother died when Ella was one year of age and she was raised by the McKenzie grandparents on their farm in Milton Twp. Mahoning Co. O. She married Sept. 24, 1884 at Berlin Center, Ohio to Levi Silas Cover, b. . They spent most of their married years on their farm in Newton Twp. Trumbull Co. O. only relinquishing the land upon the request of the United States Government during World War II. Mrs. Cover felt that it was her patriotic duty to do so. After the sale she made her home with her children. Mr. Cover passed away in Sept. of 1931, but Ella outlived him by fourteen years. She was with her daughter Claire in Warren, Ohio, when she died in 1945. Both are buried at Newton Falls, O.

Children: COVER

127. i. Sylvia b. 8-27-1886
ii. Fred Calvin b. 4-19-1893 Lived in Newton Twp. upon the home farm but after the government took over he purchased a farm in West Farmington, O. where he now lives. m. 6-24-1922 at Marlboro, O. Grace E. Sanderson b. 2-5-1896.
children:
1. Fred Sanderson b. 10-4-1923. Served world war, 2 yrs. in the American and Asiatic Pacific theaters. Hiram college, grad. in 1949. m. 6-10-1949 Jean Ellen Hawkins. Both are engaging in school teaching.
2. Carl Edison b. 4-19-1926, d. 5-21-1926
3. Herbert Lee, b. 9-22-1928
4. Ruth Marilyn b. 2-9-1932
iii. Clyde J. b. 9-29-1897 Newton Falls, O. Is a lawyer associated with the Lincoln Life Insurance Co. at Ft. Wayne, Ind. m. in 1924 Lucy May Mix.
1. Sarah Lou b. 5-8-1927 Hiram College Student in 1949
2. Joan Lucy b. 10-18-1928 " " " " "
iv. Claire, twin to Clyde, b. 9-29-1897. m. Arthur G. Williams who was b. 2-11-1891. They live in Warren, Ohio where Mr. Williams has a successful Armature works. One

daughter, Jane Claire b. 1-15-1930 and is also a student at Hiram College in 1949.

116. EFFIE HADASSAH (9) Scott, Harriet McKenzie (8) see no. 91. "Aunt Dassie" was born in the two story log house on the Van Etten place Nov. 29, 1857. She spent her entire life in the vicinity of Palmyra and Diamond, Portage Co. Ohio, and at the age of 92 is still enjoying fairly good health and keenly interested in current events. She taught school until she was married 9-19-1876 to Samuel Church of Palmyra, b. 2-16-1854. d. 12-8-1913 bur. Palmyra west cem. After his death Mrs. Church moved to Diamond, Ohio, where she bought the old school house adjoining the Scott farm and converted it into a home for herself and daughter. She was secretary to the Palmyra Telephone company for many years and is a past matron of Palmy Chapter Ohio Eastern Star of which she is a charter member.

Ch:

128. i. James Church b. April 15, 1880 Palmyra.
 ii. Edith Ann Church b. Dec. 18, 1889 at Palmyra.
 m. 1st Melvin Henderson who d. in 1913
 m. 2nd 11-1-1916 Reuel Johns, present postmaster of Diamond, O. No issue.
117. ROSEL PERRY (9) SCOTT, Harriet McKenzie (8) see no. 91. b. 12-15-1863 Palmyra Twp. Portage Co. Ohio. d. Bridgeport, Nebr. 12-12-1935. Went west when a young man and located at Bridgeport, Nebr. where he owned several hundreds acres of land. Was for years Internal revenue tax collector for that district. m. 10-4-1897 Miss Jesse Pool b. 6-13-1875, g.d. of Augustus and Mary (Bear) Cassell and dau. of Dora Cassell Pool.

Children: SCOTT

129. i. Mabel Alice b. 6-16-1898
130. ii. Esther b. 4-15-1900
 iii. Alexander James b. 3-10-1902 m. 6-25-1930 Ruth Margaret Loescher. Lives Glendale, Cal. No issue (1949)
 iv. Florence S. b. 3-31-1904 m. 10-13-1931 John I. Cramer (divorced later) 1 ch: Bets Marie Cramer b. 7-24-1934
 v. John B. b. 4-5-1907 m. 6-16-1929 Mrs. Josephine Mosier he has one step child - Mosier and a dau. Beverly Ellen b. 3-18-1930
118. ALEXANDER FRANKLIN SCOTT (9), Harriet McKenzie Scott (8) see no. 91. b. Dec. 6th, 1865 in Palmyra Twp. Portage Co. Ohio. He lived with one or the other of his grandparents most

of the time until his marriage - traveling by foot or horse back from Grandfather Scott's at Scotts corners to Grandfather McKenzies on the same road north; whenever he felt that he was "abused" at one home, he just went to the other. He just had a common school education at the little red school house.

Married at the age of nineteen, on May 7, 1885 to Rosa Bell Lewis a neighbor. Alexander Franklin Scott removed, with his wife and three children from Palmyra Twp. Portage Co. where he had built a home on his mother's farm, to Youngstown, Mahoning Co. in 1892 and lived in a rented house on what was then Burke St. (now Park Ave.). He worked for the street railway co. as an engineer and was for nine years in the electrical department of the Ohio steel works. Mr. Scott believed in home ownership so about 1895 he built another dwelling for his family at 639 Parmelee Ave. and later another at 612 Parmelee and from there to 1309 Belmont where the family resided for thirty-four years. Upon the advice of a doctor, he left the steel mill and started into the plumbing and building contracting business, the trade which he followed until 1938 when he retired and went to Honolulu to live with his son. He was there when the Attack upon Pearl Harbor was launched by the Japanese in 1941 and went to work immediately in reparations and later had charge of supplies in a government warehouse. He returned to Ohio in 1942 and made his home with his brother on the old home place in Palmyra, passing away on June 3, 1944 after an attack of Angina. His remark made to his daughter on his last ride around Youngstown before his departure for the Islands was made as if it just dawned upon him that he was leaving all of his past behind: "Why! I helped build this town." Mr. Scott was a fifty year Free and Accepted Mason and received a fifty year medal from the Western Star Chapter in Youngstown.

The children born to Alexander F. and Rosa Bell Lewis Scott were as follows:

1. Hattie Naomi b. May 26, 1886 - educated in Covington public and Rayen High in Youngstown; died from injuries received in an auto accident May, 19, 1913.
2. Eva Alice Scott b. Mar. 8, 1889 educated Youngstown schools. Married in 1918 to Stanley I. Owen, soldier in World War I - divorced in 1920. No issue. (Mr. Owen passed away at the state institution in Massillon, Ohio.) Practical Nurse, Genealogist, Regent Mahoning Chapter DAR 1946-49 Historian and Genealogist for the Public Library in Youngstown. Member Ohio Eastern Star, White Shrine of Jerusalem, Huguenot Society of Ohio, Life time member of the First Christian Church.

3. Robert Ray Scott, b. Palmyra, Portage Co. Apr. 13, 1891. Educated in the public schools, Rayen High of Youngstown, Ph.B. Hiram, 1914; married 8-7-1915 Ethel Richie Hogg of Youngstown, O.; A.M. Columbia, 1916; PhD. Ohio State; Chicago, Wisconsin; Prof. Ed. Tarkio Mo. 16-18; Ed. secy. Carnegie Hero Fund Comm., Pittsburg, Pa. 18-19; Prof. Ed. State Normal School, California, Pa. 19-20; W. Va. Wesleyan 20-34; state director adult education division of Hawaii 35; Member type county rural schools survey W. Va., N.E.A.; Hawaii Ed. assn; Pi Gamma Mu; Phi Delta Kappa. 1943 Commandant U.S.A. armed forces institute Central Pacific area. Address (1950) 3843 Lurline Drive. Honolulu, T.H. No issue - an adopted daughter Francis Westfall Scott, b. in Buckhanon, W. Va. m. 1933 John E. Shaffer of Lowellville, Mahoning Co. O. they have four children: Joan Rae, John W., Charles and Clingan Ann.
4. Rosel Vernon Scott, b. Oct. 16th 1893 educated Youngstown public school - worked at plumbing with his father and at the age of 21 was suddenly stricken with blood poisoning and died June 19, 1914. The Scott family burial lot is in the Palmyra Cemetery, Portage Co. Ohio.

119. CHARLES E. (9), see no. 92; b. Toledo, O. Aug. 19, 1867, living there in 1947. m. Oct. 6, 1892 in Pemberville, O. to Clara Estella Smith, b. 3-29-1873. d. Toledo 6-25-1927.

Children: VAN ET TEN.

- i. Charles W. b. Toledo, O. 9-14-1895, served World War I. dec. 12, 1917 to June 21, 1918. m. at Toledo in 1920 Miss Helen Wolf of Springfield, Ohio. children: Wesley b. Feb. 1922, Melvin b. Feb. 1924. Both the above served in World War II.
- ii. Harley b. Toledo Oct. 2, 1897, single. Served in World War II from Sept. 1942 through Mar. 1943.
- iii. Clara M. b. Toledo, July 16, 1900 m. in Toledo in 1924 Joseph Stapleton. Children: Joan, Betty and Robert Stapleton.
- iv. Dora Gertrude b. Fremont, O. 7-6-1910. m. in Toledo in 1939 to Royal Battershell. Residence South Bend, Ind. Children: a girl, b. Feb. 1941.

120. ELLA FLORENCE MOWEN (9) Laura Etta Patterson (8) see no. 97. b. 6-18-1853; d. 4-24-1923; m. 8-7-1877 to John L. Bobo who was b. 2-5-1851; d. 3-10-1938. Children two, surname BOBO.
- i. Brieta Bobo b. at Lima, Ohio 5-20-1878
 - ii. Fred Mowen Bobo, b. at Lima, O. 7-21-1881, m. Oct. 5-1906 to Catherine Radcliffe, b. 7-6-1883 at Arcanum, O. No issue.

121. ANNIE LAURIE PATTERSON (9) Sidney Russell Patterson (8) see no. 100. b. 8-15-1868; d. 7-23-1937; m. 7-21-1887 to Orlando Milton Shinn, b. 12-6-1864 and d. 8-25-1947. Two children surname SHINN.
- i. Florence Patterson Shinn b. 3-5-1888; m. 1-5-1929 Frank Jones Stroup, b. 1-21-1878, d. 3-3-1945. No ch. Lives 2965 Warner Dr. R. 5., Pontiac, Mich.
 - ii. Marjorie Patterson Shinn, b. 7-23-1890; m. 6-9-1910 George Earl Rapp, b. 2-18-1887. Three children, surname RAPP.
 1. Charlotte Ann, b. 4-21-1911 m. 5-23-1937 Eric A. Holm b. 9-18-1907 and have Robert Eric b. 2-18-1940 and Marjorie Ann b. 4-9-1943.
 2. George Robert, b. 6-20-1912 m. 6-20-1935 Katherine Elizabeth Beecher b. 9-7-1913 and their only child is George Thomas Rapp b. 7-30-1946.
 3. Marjorie Florence Rapp, b. May 19, 1917 m. 9-1-1940 Ralph A. Gunn, b. 9-12-1916 and have 3 children: Glenn Burton Gunn b. 4-5-1942, George Roger Gunn b. 9-18-1944, and Milton Lewis Gunn b. 6-7-1948.
122. MARK CLAYTON EWING⁹, Sarah Patterson Ewing⁸, see no. 102; b. at Milton, Mahoning Co. O. 2-1-1869; d. Wausau, Wis. 8-10-1922. m. 2-16-1895 Joanna E. Delaney, b. at Wausau, 1875. This m. terminated by divorce in 1903. There were no children. He m. 2nd at Minn. Minn: 7-2-1909, Sadie Reid, b. 12-9-1884 and d. 9-9-1927. There were four children, surname EWING.
- i. Clayton, b. at Wausau 6-14-1910, m. 12-9-1933 at DePere, Wis. to Janet Lawton, b. 2-11-1911 in Chi. Ill. Two Ch: Marcia Mitchell, b. at Neenah, Wis. 6-1-1935 and Mark Clayton Jr. b. same, 2-20-1937.
 - ii. Reid Ewing, b. at Wausau, 4-20-1913; m. 1-24-1941 to Margaret Ruth Harris, b. at Olean, N.Y. 11-16-1916. Two ch: Constance b. at Buffalo, N.Y. 10-13-1942 and Reid Harris, b. at Milwaukee, Wis. 6-10-1947.
 - iii. Lloyd Ewing, b. Wausau, 12-16-1915; m. at N.Y. City 9-28-1946 to Margaret Eleanor Blake, b. at Exeter, N.H. 12-27-1916. Two ch: Steven Ewing b. at Mil. Wis. 4-12-1948 and Neal Ewing b. 6-4-1949.
 - iv. Marcia Ewing, b. Wausau, 8-17-1921; m. at Wayne, Pa. 12-22-1945, Wendall Wells Alexander, b. 6-9-1914. Ch: George Ewing, b. 10-22-1947 and Scott Wells b. 5-24-1949.
123. HARRISON WATSON EWING⁹, Sarah Patterson Ewing⁸, see no. 102. b. at Milton, Mah. Co. O. 7-26-1874; m. at Cleveland,

O. 6-27-1903 to Myra C. Lucas, b. Cleve. O. 6-7-1881. Their only child Marjorie Gaile was b. at Cleve. 6-7-1905; m. 6-27-1927 to John L. Martin of Lancaster, O. A dau. called Gaile Ewing Martin was b. to them at Lancaster, O. 1-9-1929. Their m. was terminated by divorce on Sept. 20, 1930 and on Jan. 6, 1939 Marjorie Gaile Martin m. Harry E. Terry Jr. of Cleve. He was b. in Cincinnati, O. 9-8-1902. The dau. Gaile Ewing Martin was m. in St. Petersburg, Fla. 12-4-1948 to Christopher R. Holmes, b. 7-23-1927, a grandson of Carmi Thompson, formerly secy. of State in Ohio. Terry Lee Holmes was born 9-29-1949 at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Harrison W. Ewing graduated from the Law School of Western Reserve University and was admitted to the Ohio Bar in June, 1899. He at once began the practice of law at Cleveland, Ohio, in association with his father, Harrison J. Ewing, who was a trial lawyer of outstanding ability and wide experience. This connection was terminated by his father's death in 1903.

From that date until the fall of 1925 he continued in general practice of law and during this period organized and was successively a member of several law firms. Among his law partners, at different times, were Honorable Samuel E. Kramer, now Chief Justice of the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County, Ohio, Honorable Virgil J. Terrell, later a judge successively of that court and of the Ohio Court of Appeals (8th District), and Mr. Jay P. Dawley, who was a distinguished trial lawyer.

On October 1, 1925, Mr. Ewing was appointed by Governor A. V. Donahey as a judge of The Cuyahoga County Common Pleas Court to serve until the next regular election and having been then elected (in November 1926) to succeed himself, and successively thereafter re-elected, served as one of the judges of that court until February 8, 1943. During a part of this period, 1931-1935, he and two of his former law partners, Judges Kramer and Terrell, served contemporaneously as judges of this court, which consisted of a chief justice and fourteen associates, and was characterized during that period by the Journal of The American Judicature Society as "the foremost trial court in the United States."

Ten days after leaving that bench, he was appointed on February 18, 1943 to the office of Compliance Commissioner of The War Production Board (a Federal war agency) which had jurisdiction throughout a territory of approximately four states, and had its office at Cleveland.

After serving in that capacity until November 3, 1945, when The War Production Board was terminated and was

succeeded by the Civilian Production Administration, he was transferred to the latter agency in the same capacity, and with the exception of four months, during which he served temporarily as Regional Attorney for that agency, continued to serve as Compliance Commissioner until September 8, 1947, at which date the Civilian Production Administration was succeeded by the Office of Housing Expediter. He was at that time transferred to this successor agency (O.H.E.), and continued in that service as Compliance Commissioner until March 15, 1948.

He thereupon returned to legal practice on his own account, in which he is still engaged.

124. **BLANCHE BRODHEAD** (9) Maria Van Etten (8); see no. 107.
b. 1-15-1863; d. Oct. 1943 m. Robinson Shepherd

children: **SHEPHERD**

- i. Margaret Maria b. 11-5-1884 m. 8-23-1912 Charles Doolittle. Their dau. Blanche Elizabeth b. 11-4-1916 m. in 1939 Donald F. Webb and had issue Margaret Louise b. 2-11-1940 and a son b. 1942.
- ii. William Robinson b. 12-2-1886; d. 2-8-1935 unm. served in World War I. bd. Del. Cem.
- iii. Thomas b. 2-3-1889 m. 1-11-1917 Alma Odell.
- iv. David Roy b. 11-19-1891 m. 1-2-1916 Elsie Schauer
Issue: Roy, David, Elsie and Gladys.
- v. Blanche Olivia b. 12-16-1900 m. 6-6-1925 Alfred Chant;
res. Pt. Jervis, N.Y. issue: Alfred b. 10-10-1926 and Margaret.
- vi. Frances b. 10-11-1903 m. 1st 9-19-1925 George Rose-
crance (no issue) 2nd Richard Haggerty on Oct. 11, 1940.

125. **MARY KOBER** (9), Cornelia Ellen V.E. (8) see no. 109.
b. 2-25-1880; m. 10-25-1904 Victor H. Dimmick

ch: **DIMMICK**

- i. Ella Elizabeth b. 11-27-1905 m. 10-10-1925 Horace G. Walters at Shawnee Pres. Ch. He was b. 9-11-1900.
(vol. 7 Compendium of American Gen. p. 750; and "John and Mary" by M. F. Kuhns.

ch: Ronald Stuart b. Jan. 23, 1931 student M.I.T.

Nancy Patricia b. July 27, 1935

Mrs. Walters is a member of the Stroudsburg, Pa. Pres. Ch.; past Pres. of Young Woman's club of Church, Corres. Secy of the Dorcas Circle of the church, Supt. of Nursery Dept. of Sun. School for past ten years. Member Jacob Stroud Chapter D.A.R.; Pa. Chapter of Mayflower Descendants; Charter life member and regional historian of Brad-

ford Compact (descendants member of Pilgrim John Howland Society).

Pres. of Monroe Co. Hist. So. after serving as curator and vice-pres. for several years. Minisink Valley Hist. So. of Pt. Jervis N.Y. and of the Stroudsburg Woman's club.

Compiled - Hist. of East Stroudsburg Pres. Ch. (Published)
Hist. of Smithfield (Shawnee) Dutch Reformed
Ch., Monroe Co. Pa.; Hist. of Shawnee Pres.
Ch. and The Delaware, Walpack to Shawnee.

- ii. Lester William Dimmick b. July 5, 1911 m. Hilda M. Schierer at Shawnee Pres. Ch.; he grad. E.S.S.T.S. and Bucknell Univ.; taught at Lewisburg High Sc and E. Stroudsburg High; enl. in U.S.N.R. and served with the Amphibious Forces in the European Theatre of World War II, with rank of Lieut.

ch: Suzanne Mae b. Mar. 8, 1936

Lester William b. Mar. 27, 1937

Mary Elizabeth b. Oct. 30, 1948

- 126. ALBERT SANFORD (9) VAN ET TEN; Albert Harrison (8) see no. 112. b. 12-19-1871 in Bay City, Mich. d. 11-13-1909 in Pasadena, Cal. bur. Albany, N.Y. m. 9-6-1900 in Pasadena Pres. Ch. to Isabel Randall Upton, b. 9-6-1875 in Milan, Ill., dau. of Henry of Batavia, N.Y. and Pierce, Nebr. and Susan Conde (Osgood) Upton, who d. in Long Beach, Cal. Isabel Van Etten lives at 241 Loma, Long Beach Cal. She is reported a very delightful person and very proud of her family. In her possession is a Van Etten family Bible and many photographs of the family.

Children:

- 131. i. Albert Henry b. 11-17-1901
- ii. Elizabeth Augusta b. 7-13-1904 m. Eugene Wendall Waterman; they reside at 619 Hamilton, El Centro, Cal. issue:
Elizabeth Luella b. 11-14-1928 and Genevieve Gene,
b. 11-21-1934 in El Centre, Cal.

Chapter 10

TENTH GENERATION

127. SYLVIA COVER (10), Ella Perbasco Cover (9); see no. 115.
b. 8-27-1886 Newton Falls, Ohio. m. to Edison Griffith
b. 4-12-1883.

Children, GRIFFITH

- i. Esther b. 8-22-1910 m. Robert Roderick in Warren, O.
and now resides at Weirton, W. Va. Robert was b. 9-7-
1907. Children, 1. Lou Ella b. 6-7-1930 and is a student
at the Univ. of W. Va.; 2. Bonnie Lee b. 4-18-1937;
3. Carol Lynn b. 8-28-1945.
- ii. Frances b. 8-30-1912. She resides in St. Petersburg,
Fla. m. Frank Kreider, b. 1913 and d. 9-15-1942. No
issue.
- iii. Ruth b. 3-4-1915 M. Albert Kipp b. 9-7-1915. They re-
side at Willoughby, O.
Children: 1. Thomas E. Kipp, b. 12-22-1937
2. David Griffith b. 2-18-1941
3. Gary Lee, b. 4-14-1943
- iv. Edison Cover, b. 4-5-1918. Served in the World War II
for 4 yrs. in the U.S. army air force in the American
Theater and the Asiatic Pacific.
- v. Jean b. 7-22-1921. m. Dale H. Heinlen, b. 3-13-1921.
Dale served 4 yrs. with the U.S. Navy in the Pacific area,
also American and European theaters. A son named John
Perres Heinlen was born 4-13-1947.
- vi. Margaret Ann b. 3-25-1924 m. James W. Godfrey, b. 4-16-
1916. He served 4 yrs. in the U.S. army air force in the
American and Asiatic Pacific Theater.

128. JAMES (10) CHURCH, Hadassah Scott (9), see no. 116.
b. Apr. 15, 1880 on the old Church homestead where he has
always lived. The farm has been in the possession of the
Church family since its first purchase by James' great grand-
father. Mr. Church is a past master of the Masonic Order at
Palmyra, and has always taken a very active part in all com-
munity affairs. m. 6-10-1908 Ida Crutchley of Deerfield,
Portage Co. O; d. 1-18-1949 buried West Palmyra Cemetery.

Children: CHURCH

i. Herman b. 1910

m. 10-7-1933 Leona Doctor of near Akron O. They make their home at Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. Issue: James S.

b. 9-7-1934; Patricia b. 7-16-1938 and Thomas

ii. Willard J. b. 8-3-1918 Served three years with the armed forces in World War II - U.S., Alaska and England. At home.

iii. Ardis Bell Church, b. 7-29-1920 stenographer - at home.

129. MABEL ALICE (10) SCOTT, Rosel Perry Scott (9); see no. 117; b. 6-16-1898 Bridgeport, Nebr. Ed. in the local schools. m. 5-25-1920 William Hulme b. 2-24-1892 and in 1947 they were living in Laramie Wyo. where Mr. Hulme is engaged in the plumbing business.

Children: HULME

i. Ellen Louise b. 7-11-1921 m. 8-17-1946 Paul M. Drake

1. Paul Michael b. 8-20-1947, 2. dau. b. 7-30-1949

ii. William Scott b. 1-29-1923

iii. Robert Earl b. Oct. 19, 1924. m. June 1 dau. b. 1948

iv. Dorothy Mae b. 3-20-1929

130. ESTHER MAE (10) SCOTT, Rosel Perry (9) see no. 117; b. 4-15-1900 m. 9-9-1927 Bern Coulter, Lawyer; rancher. res. Bridgeport, Nebr.

Children: COULTER

i. Calvin Lee b. 1-4-1930 Law student, Lincoln Univ.

ii. Madelyn Ann b. 1-18-1932

iii. Nancy Nadine b. 12-13-1934

131. ALBERT HENRY VAN ETEN (10) Albert Sanford (9) see no. 126. b. Nov. 17, 1901 in Pasadena, Cal. bp. July 6, 1902 in the Pasadena Presby. Church. He died in Sept. 30, 1940 at the American Presby Mission, Linhsien, Kwangtung, China, of typhoid fever. He was very much interested in the family history and had his notes and papers in China with him but when the family returned to the states at the outbreak of the World War II, they were forced to leave the papers there. Rev. Van Etten was an ordained Presbyterian Missionary and went to South China in 1925. Rec'd his A.B. at Univ. of Cal. 1922; B.D. S.F. Theol. Sem. 1925; M.A. Univ. of Cal. 1931. m. May 19, 1925 in Corvallis, Ore. at the Presby Church to Florence Kathleen King, b. Mar. 15, 1899 in Corvallis, Ore. dau. Abe King and Clara Margaret Elizabeth Busse of that town. Mrs. Van Etten received a B.S. at Ore. Ag. College in

1923 and an M.A. at S.F. Theol. Sem. 1931. After her return from China she again took up her studies in Ore. so that she would be able to teach.

Children: (all on 1936 passport)

- i. Albert King b. Apr. 1, 1926 in Hongkong (recorded there in U.S. Consulate in Canton and in Wash. D.C. bp. in Linchow by R.F. Edwards in Chinese. Joined San Anselmo, Cal. Presby Ch. May 18, 1939
- ii. Upton Arthur b. Feb. 24, 1928 in Linchow, Kwantung China (Dr. Yue Hoi-poi attended)
- iii. Thomas Russell b. Feb. 5, 1930 in Linchow, China (Dr. H.V. Bradshaw, attended)
- iv. Donald Lawrence, b. June 23, 1933 in Linchow, China (record same as iii)
- v. Paul Warren b. Nov. 8, 1934 in Canton, China (Dr. Jessie A. McBean attended)

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VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

Washington November 8, 1938

In reply refer to

John Vannatter

S. 33853

BA-J/MLB

Miss Eva A. Scott
Youngstown, Ohio

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to your letter in which you request the record of John Van Natter (Van Etten), a soldier of the Revolutionary War who served as private in the New Jersey line and received a pension.

The data which follow were obtained from pension claim, S. 33853 based upon service in the Revolutionary War of John Vannatter (as the soldier signed).

The date and place of birth of John Vannatter are not shown. He was the son of Aaron Vannatter who was still living in 1818. The name of John's mother was not given.

John Vannatter enlisted, date and place not stated, served as a private in Captain Thomas Patterson's company, Colonel Walton White's New Jersey regiment, and was discharged after serving four years. He enlisted in 1780 and served as private in Captain George Handy's company of light infantry, in Colonel Henry Lee's Partisan Legion, and was discharged after serving a tour of three years.

The soldier was allowed pension on his application executed March 31, 1818, while a resident of Somerset County, New Jersey. In 1820, he was a resident of Hillsborough Township, Somerset County, New Jersey, aged sixty-three years. It is not shown whether the soldier ever married, but in 1820 he stated that he had no family.

In order to obtain date of last payment of pension, the name of person paid and possibly the date of death of John Vannatter, you should write to the Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, Records Division, this city, and cite the following data: John Vannatter, certificate #116, issued April 7, 1818, rate \$8 per month, commenced April 1, 1818, Act of March 18, 1818, New Jersey Agency.

Very truly yours
(Signed) A D Hiller
Executive Assistant
to the Administrator.

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March 3, 1948

VANNATTA, JOHN
RG 217

Miss Eva A. Scott
The Public Library of Youngstown and Mahoning Co.
Youngstown 3, Ohio

Dear Miss Scott:

This is in further reply to your letter of July 3, 1947, referred by the General Accounting Office.

The last pension payment of record, which was due John Vannatta at the time of his death, was made for the period from "September 4, 1838 to February 23, 1839," at the Trenton, New Jersey Agency. The money was paid to Thomas A. Hartwell, attorney for Stephen H. Rowen, administrator for the veteran. The veteran died on February 23, 1839, at Somerville, Somerset County, New Jersey. No reference is made to his wife and no family data are given.

Sincerely yours,

Thomas M. Owen, Jr., Chief
Veterans' Records Branch

Page 183 Wapaack N. J. Ch.Rec.-John Van Etten and wife Margaret Berkelow, child b.; Henry Dec. 30, 1783. bp. May 1, 1785 See p. 183

Mararetee Berkelo, wife of Johannes Van Etten was received at Mahackamack Ch. (now Port Jervis, N.Y.) on Dec. 10, 1785

John Van Etten was admitted May 6, 1786

Johannes Van Etten and wife Rachel Williams were admitted Dec. 31, 1786

Mary McGee, wife of Johannes Van Etten Jr. was admitted April 14, 1754

Hist. of Hunterdon Co. N.J.-A Johannes Van Etten purchased one acre of land at Foul Rift in 1744.

Hoe's - Ch. of John Van Etten and Maria Rosekrans

p. 67 1. Solomon b. Nov. 7, 1812 bp. April 11, 1813

69. 2. Anthony b. 9-22-1814

74 3. Maria b. Oct. 24, 1816

76 4. Lanah b. Nov. 27, 1817

81 5. David b. Nov. 20, 1820

83 6. Simeon b. Mar. 20, 1823

John V. E. Jr. and Catharine Ennes

p. 79 Mary Margaret b. Oct. 17, 1820

John b. June 9, 1826

McWethy Book of Names

p. 153 Tryone Co. Militia. Klocks Reg't.

Jacobus V. E.

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Samuel (2 of them)

N.J. Archives. 1st series. Vol. XXXIII p. 453. Nov. 13, 1753 PETER VANNESTE of Somerset Co. (This perhaps was not Van Etten) Will proved July 9, 1768 Lib. 1, p. 298 wife Mardeleantie-son Jacob, deceased; son Peter, son John, dau. Margaret wife of France Gossart. dau. Elizabeth.

N.J. Archives Vol. 3 Wills-1st Ser. V. XXXIII p. 451. June 4, 1763

ANN VANNATTA, Oxford Twp. Sussex Co. widow. son Benj, dau.

Hannah Robert. Exec. son Benj. and Joan Vannest. Wit: Wm Harding, Jno Vannatten Jr. and Jonas Abbitt. Proven 24 Mar. 1764 Renunciation by Jno. Vannest. Lib. 12, p. 1.

N.J. Arch. ser. 1 V. XXXVI p. 241 Abstracts of wills (Vol. 7) 29 May, 1787 Vannatta, John of Oxford Twp. Sussex Co., yeoman; will of

"Wife to have house where I live, while my widow, and the lands and goods, and then to the children of my bro-in-law Jacob Kiser." Exec. wife Elizabeth and Joseph Mackey. Wit: Jacob Kiser, Jas Davison and Chas. Smith. Proven 28 May 1789. Inv. 12 Jan. 1789 lib. 30, p. 190.

Same ser. as above p. 236. 1790 Feb. 22. Vanatta, Peter of Oxford Twp. Sussex Co. farmer. Will of: wife is provided for (not named); eldest dau. Tonica, son Peter, dau. Ann, wife of Jacob Riser (? Kiser), dau. Hannah wife of Jos. Coplin, dau. Mary, w. of Jacob Sigler. Peter Vannatta, son of my eldest son Samuel. Exec. Mary Sigler and Peter Vanetta. wit: Isaac Lerrowe, Thos Hayes, Margaret Hayes. Probated 22 June 1790. Inv. Lib. 30, p. 421.

Van Etten From Elmer Hutchinson
Sec. of the N. Jersey Hist. Soc.
January 6, 1949

---Incidentally, Sussex County confronts one with more difficulty in genealogical investigations than any other of our 21 counties. Snell's Hist. of Sussex and Warren Cos., pub. in 1781 is its only history - and very incomplete from a genealogical standpoint. However, I have made a careful check of marriages and deaths recorded in the Sussex Register, a weekly newspaper commenced in 1813 and still published. From this source I have obtained the following data that may in one or more instances, aid in your research (no mention of a Van Etten up to 1840):

6-13-1840	Peter V.E. mar to Eliza Gamore
10-28-1841	Benjamin V.E. mar to Prudence Dewitt
2-9-1852	Diana, wife of Samuel D. V. E. died in Westfall Tshp. Pa. aged 47
1-23-1852	Anna, wife of Cornelius V.E. died in Delaware Tshp. Pa. aged 74
6-13-1857	Harriet, wife of Dr. Solomon V.E. died at Port Jervis, N.Y. aged 22
	Dr. Bonneville arrested 7-30-1858 at Milford Pa. charged with stealing a case of instruments from Dr. V.E. of Port Jervis, N.Y.
5-29-1859	Dwelling and store house at Hainsville (Sussex Co.) owned by Amos V.E. destroyed by fire
3-7-1862	Amos V.E. and John Clark announce they have re-fitted the store and taken the business of John J. Westbrook at Port Jervis, N.Y.
11-13-1897	Prudence D. V.E. died at Port Jervis, N.Y. aged 75
6-16-1856	Daniel V.E. died at Dingman's Ferry, aged 75 (Dingman's Ferry applies to the settlements in both N.J. and Penna. on the banks of the Delaware. There is now a steel bridge crossing the river at this point.)
12-19-1846	George Quick was married to Maria V.E.
12-11-1898	Lydia C.T. Van Etten died at Port Jervis, aged 80

The following are abstracts of Van Etten wills on file at Trenton, N.J.:

2693S dated 10-28-1851, proved 11-14-1851 Benjamin V.E. at the town of Mantage, Sussex Co.; wife, Prudence. Executors wife and Evi Dewitt. Witnesses Solomon V.E. and Joseph D. Elston. Inventory \$944.91

3163S dated 2-7-1861 Intestate Jonathon D. Van Etten of Montague Tshp, Sussex Co., Inventory \$132.64 made by Isaac Bonnell, Mathew Terwilliger; sworn to by Alexander V.E.

3313S dated 11-21-1863 proved of 31-1861 Melcena A. Van Etten of Sandyston Tshp., Sussex Co. Tombstones to be placed at graves of father, mother, brother, sister (all unnamed) and myself, cousin Mary J. Carmer, cousin Blaudina V. Bevans. Inventory \$437.18

3753S dated 9-17-1871 proved 10-5-1871 Daniel C. Van E. of Newton, Sussex Co., wife Bridget all estate and to be executrix.

4114S dated 11-7-1877 proved 12-19-1877 Daniel Vanetten (signed by mark) of Frankford Tshp., Sussex Co., my son Frank, child of my 1st wife, adopted by Henry Compton. Daughter Jane, child of my 2nd marriage wife Ann Sullivan. Wits. Kate Sullivan and Levi D. Lewis. Inventory \$200.70.

A county directory published in 1872 lists the following:

Daniel V.E.	Branchville
John	Lafayette
H.	Port Jervis, N.Y.
Levi	Brick House
Joseph	" "
L.F.	Newton Tshp.
Emanuel	Hainsville
Mackley	Laytons

As a great number of Van Etten names connected with vendues, stud horses, farm machinery agencies, and land or animals for sale are located in Port Jervis, it would appear that that was where the bulk of the family lived. This is just over the line from Sussex Co.---

120 Morristown Road
Elizabeth 3, N.J.

From Anna Gorman - Laredo, Texas 6-14-1947

Reference Report Ill. State Historical Society

Vanatta - Harris

Counties of Cumberland, Jasper and Richland, Ill.

Chicago, FA Battray Co. 1884, pg. 548

Kinneson Vanatta was born in Crooked Creek Township, Jasper Co. Ill. Nov. 6-1853, and is the son of Isaac and Amanda (Kellar) Vanatta, who came from Ohio to this township in 1835, and were here married. The father died in 1854 and the mother in 1877.

Aug. 5, 1875, Kinneson Vanatta married Almira Cowger, daughter Wm. F. and America (Ward) Cowger, of this county. To this marriage was born three children, William I., Charles M., and Levi C. Mr. Vanatta is a general farmer, rears some stock and has a fine farm on Section 18. Mr. Vanatta and wife are members of the New Light Church.

John Vanatta was born in Jasper Co. Ill. Oct. 9, 1846 and is the son of Aaron and Jane (Ray) Vanatta, whose grandparents were early settlers in Lawrence Co. where Aaron and Jane were born. John Vanatta was reared on the home farm and was educated at the old fashioned pioneer log school house.

Apr. 3, 1872, he married Jane Coad, the daughter of Joseph and Mary A. (Reisner) Coad, and born Sept. 6, 1848. After marriage he settled on his father's farm and became a general farmer and stock-raiser.... There have been three children, Florence June 5, 1874, died Sept. 25, 1875; Henry born Feb. 14, 1877, and Lizzie Dec. 29, 1881. Mr. Vanatta and his wife are members Methodist Episcopal Church. Mr. Vanatta's father died Feb. 21, 1881, and his mother July 4, 1871, members of the Christian Church. (I have a copy of his death cert. but it does not give date or place of birth of parents. bur. Hayes Cemetary.)

Here is some Vanatta information I received in a letter from a Estella Clause White Newark Ohio RD# 2. Quote "My great grandfather (Vanatta) was a native of Trenton, N.J. on a farm not far from that City, and his name was Aaron, but the dates were 1790 to 1820 or something like that. Elinor, too, was the name of one of my grandfather, Nelson's brother's wives. However none of this family moved to Ill., although my grandfather went to Kansas, near Buffalo at about 1870. There were eleven children in my g.g. fa.'s family and many of them came to Ohio in the early 1800's settled on 100 a. farms. Several of them at Vanattasburg as it was first called (Licking Co.) My g.f. operated a foundry in that village and his brothers lived there too. There were others near Granville, Logan, Pataskala and a sister near Thornville. I don't know very many of their descendants, but we still have handed down the good old names of Aaron, Jesse, Charles,

Robert, Elias, Nelson, Katie, Ellen, Jane, William.

Signed Estella Clause White

(Note: Soc. Hist. of Union Co. O. p. 692 for Elias Van Atta b. Mar. 1803 N.J. 1st wife Nancy - 2nd wife Elizabeth Huffman, both nat. of N.J.)

I have an Aaron Vanatta in Census 1850 Jasper C.

Name Aaron Vanatta Age 66 B 1784 N.Y. farmer

Nancy 65 B 1783 Ill.

Stephen 21 1829

Aaron Vanatta Census 1820 - Lawrence Co. Ill.

History of the Hocking Valley.-Chicago-Interstate Publishing Co. 1883
p. 1002 Van Atta

Robert Skinner Van Atta, molder and machinist in the Logan Foundry, was born near Belvidere, N. Jersey May 9, 1822, a son of SAMUEL AND JANE (STOUT) VAN ATTA. His mother died when he was an infant, and when he was four years of age his father removed to New York City, where he lived with him until fifteen years of age. He then returned to Washington Village, N.J., and began to learn the trade of molder in the foundry of his uncle Jesse S. Van Atta, remaining there two yrs. In the fall of 1838 he came with his father and with his uncles Jesse, Nelson and Ralph Van Atta, to Ohio, and the following spring settled and founded a foundry five miles north of Newark, on the Mt. Vernon road, at what was afterward called and is now known as Van Attaville, etc.-- had an uncle Noah Clouse - formed firm of Clouse and Van Atta. m. Nov. 14, 1850 Martha Jane Alexander, of Logan, O. parents of five ch- four now living: Frank A., Albert B., Harry B., Florence Ella. Royal Arch Mason, Logan, O.

Ohio Records.

Newark, Ohio. Cedar Hill Cemetery

Van Atta, Jesse S. son of Aaron and Letha, d. 6-29-1852 ae 45.

b. Huntington Co. N.J. Apr. 7, 1807; m. 2-4-1830 Ellen McDaniel, dau. of William and Ann. In 1840 they settled Newton township where he farmed and conducted a foundry at Vanattasburg until he died.

Ralph, son of Aaron and Letha d. 12-9-1854 ae 38-4-16.

St. Louisville, Ohio. Evans Cemetery (p. 159 of Old North West qt. Vol. 9)

Vanatta, A.N. d. 7-4-1902 ae 81-8-7.

" Ann. wife; d. 8-8-1884, ae 58 yr. 9 mo.

Van Etten

Marriage records of Greene Co. Ohio

Vaneaton, Abraham, p. 8, m. Elizabeth Mills Oct. 31, 1809 by Joshua Carman, M.

" , James, p. 521, m. Amanda A. Files 9-30-1856 by O.M. Spencer

" , Margaret, p. 79, p. 221, m. Isaac Champion Oct. 19, 1826 by Wm. McIrvin JP

" , Mary, p. 311, p. 329 and James Hamill 8-29-1842

" , Rachel, p. 48, m. James McBride 9-28-1820 by Stephen Beel, JP

" , Rebecca, p. 475, and John F. Wright 3-2-1852

" , Sally, p. 4, m. John Stapleton 7-23-1807; Joshua Carman, Min.

Eaton , Levi, p. 543, and Sarah Catharine Lee 6-16-1859 C.E. Chaney, JP

M.R. Delaware Co. Ohio

Vannatta, Harriet and Joel Sherman 2-20-1857 by O.H. Newton

Abstracts of Wills, Northampton Co. Pa. 1752-1840

Vol. 8, p. 16 records the will of a Robert McCracken who made his will Dec. 24, 1780. It was probated Apr. 17, 1786. In this will he mentions his dau. Margaret wife of John Van Etten.

In John Eyerman's "Old Graveyards of Northampton Co. and adjacent counties" he lists on page 8, Vol. 1 in the Mt. Bethel Cemetery the grave of Mary McCracken who died Nov. 1781 aged 73 yrs. who had a dau. Margaret married to John Van Etten; dau. Anna m. S. Rea and Janet (Nelson). So far we have not placed this John and Margaret.

From Representative Men of Indiana, Western Biog. Pub. Co., Cin. O. 1880 Vol. 2, 10th district - p. 43.

VANNATTA, William S. farmer and stock dealer of Fowler, Benton Co. was born in Tippecanoe County, Ind. Sept. 27, 1830. Son of John S. and Sarah A. Van Natta. His father was a farmer and he was brought up on a farm. He attended the common schools of Tippecanoe Co. until the age of twenty, when he taught school one term, after which he farmed for about five years. He then went into the Mercantile business at Monmorency, Ind., Milford, Ill., and Williamsport, Ind. After about three years he returned to farming in Tippecanoe Co. where he remained until 1865, when he went into the cattle business, buying and shipping stock to New York until 1872. Mason, 3rd degree, Presby Ch. member, Republican. Married Nov. 10th 1858 Harriet Sheetz, dau. of Frederick Sheetz. They have five children (not named); two boys and three girls.

Isaac Newton b. 6-14-1844 Cumberland son of Samuel Vanatta of Fairfield Co. Ohio and wife Lucy Gibbs, Mar. 1827 Ill. Had 10 children.

Samuel Vanatta son of Aaron and Nancy Mar. 1816 to - Lawrence Co. Ill.

J.N. Vanatta, m. Sept. 1871 - Nancy Mary Frakes, b. Ind. 6-16-1851 dau. of James F. and Elizabeth Frakes. Had 9 children.

Daniel V., Robert Allen, B.F., Homer Gibbs, John Milton, Elijah Hubbard, Geo., Elmer, Leucy.

Old graves of Dutchess Co. N.Y. town of Rhinebeck; Van Wagenen Ground, from Vol. 8 of Collections of the Dutchess Co. Historical Society, by J. Wilson Poucher and Helen W. Reynolds.

VAN ETTEN.

Elenor, w. of Matthew, d. 1798 Aug. 4 ae. 84 y.

Jacobus, s. of " b. 1748, Dec. 2; d. 1777 (Feb.) 25, ae 28-2-23

Matthew d. 1808 May 24 ae 86 y., 19 d.

Rebecca d. of M. and E. d. 1810 Oct. 5, ae 64u. 15 d.

V.E. ---- "1761 Is O.V.E. Bgrave 1771"

Reformed Church-Rhinebeck.

Van Etten,

Barent d. 1833 Feb. 12 ae 71-10-27

Sarah, his wife, d. 1845 Aug. 16, ae 79 y. 4 mo.

James d. 1834 Nov. 4, ae 82-6-10

John S. 1768 Mar. 30 d. 1836 Aug. 23, ae 68 y.

Matthew d. 1849 Dec. 9, ae 54 y 11 mo.

Rabacka 1767 (written in Dutch)

Simon d. 1816 Dec. 24, in his 75 yr.

Elizabeth his wife, d. 1830 Mar. 10, ae 82-5-11

Rhinebeck Asso. Cem. - village of Rhinebeck

Van Etten.

Emeline Brown widow of James B. b. 1813 June 3, d. 1884 Dec. 6, ae 71

Jacobus d. 1834 Nov. 5, ae 82 y.

Hunterdon Co. N.J. Militia 1792 Compiled by Hiram E. Deats, Flemington, N.J. 1936; Kingwood Twp. exempts - James Van Etta p. 27

Lebanon Twp. Exempts - Aaron Vanetten, John Vanetten.

Sussex Co. gravestones - N.J. Mag. Vol. 4-6-1928-1931

1st Meth. Epis. Ch. Cem. p. 52 Wantage (Copied May 1929)

Van Etten, Benjamin b. June 16, 1819 d. Nov. 1, 1851; wife Prudence DeWitt, b. Sept. 3, 1822; d. Nov. 13, 1897.

p. 61 same - Harlingen Ref. Dutch Ch.

Bp. Oct. 26, 1727 Andries (98) son of Anries Jansen and Antje Van Nette wit: Andries Janse and Bendrikge Cuurte
 p. 64 same Arie bp. June 18, 1729 same parents, no wit.
 p. 82 Magdalena bp. Apr. 15, 1730 - Gysbert Van Nette and Catarina Stol, wit: Jan Stol and Marietje Jansen.
 p. 84 Hendrikje bp. Mar. 31, 1731 - Andries Jansen and Antje Van Nette, wit: Coert Jansen and Geurtje La en.

Winifred Van Etten, author, b. Emmetsburg, Iowa on Jan. 23, 1902, dau. of Lewis Henry and Isabel Jane (Van Dervort) Van Etten. She m. Bernard L. Van Etten of Mt. Vernon, Iowa on Nov. 30, 1938. She was awarded the Atlantic Monthly prize for fiction in 1936.

Mary Brink bp. 18 Oct. 1741 dau. of Jacob and Mary (Elich) Brink (see Olde Ulster May 1906) this Mary could have been the wife of Daniel Van Etten, no. 37 in this book.

Chicago Daily News Feb. 22, 1949.

Van Etten, Simon 11364 Prarie Ave., husb. of Bertha (Bakker), father of Henry W., Agnes Smith, Peter R., Leonard and Jean Vincent.
 bro. to Henry Sr., the late Leonard, Abraham and Mrs. Mary DeBoer.
 services at St. Willbrord 'd-interment Holy Sepulchre.

VAN ETTEN - NORTH CAROLINA

Bible record in Bible of Mrs. J.O. Mask, now owned by J.R. Stephenson, Lyon, Miss.; published by the American Bible Co. N.Y. 1872.

"Dr. Isaac Van Etten b. Mar. 18, 1818 in North Carolina. m. Miss Sarah E. Martin in Cincinnati, Ohio. He was thirty years at Moulton, Ala. and Red Bud, Coahoma Co. Miss.; he died latter place Dec. 26, 1875. He had a son, Dr. Frank Van Etten."

Clipping found in the same Bible: "Another pioneer gone" - Van Etten. Thursday, June 10, 1868 at Cherry Grove, Hamilton Co. Ohio, my mother, Mrs. Rebecca Van Etten in her 92nd year. Born in North Carolina. She saw the British troops in the Revolutionary war. Emigrated early in life to Cincinnati, Ohio and was a citizen there for seventy years. Member Methodist Church. (This clipping was neither signed nor dated.)

All the above was copied from Van Etten notes from the typed and bound Vol. 2, p. 72, Miss. Records in the N.S.D.A.R. library, Wash. D.C. placed there by the Miss. Daughters.

In Schoonmaker's History of Kingston is found a list of signers of the Oath of Allegience, July 1, 1775 and among the signers are the names of Arie, Jacobus, Johannes Van Etten.

E.M. Smith's Rhinebeck N.Y. church records-Vol. 3-Rec. of the Evangelical Lutheran Church-called St. Paul.s-Winterburg. Rhinebeck, Dutchers Co. -3rd Luth. Ch. called the Village Luth.

Baptisms pp. 3-5 - Petrus Von Nette and wife Elizabeth, children Magdalena Mar. 11, 1762, godparents or witnesses were Lenert Weger and Barbara Weger. Their ch. David Aug. 1, 1765, g.p. were Johannes Krebsen and frau. Their ch. Barbara Nov. 11, 1771, g.p. were Bastian Wager and Barbara Boltz.

To Petrus Von Nette and wife Lena (Westfall) a dau. Elizabeth, Aug. 10, 1762, g.p. were Hans Waldemeier and Elizabeth Waldemeier.

To Peter Van Ette and wife Susanna, dau. Elizabeth 11-16-6 weeks old - g.p. Christian Schrieber and Elizabeth Schrieber.

To Petrus Van Ette and wife Grietje - Naatje Jan. 16, 1786, g.p. were Carl Treber and Maria. to same, dau. Sara Jan. 21, 1789, g.p. were John Van Nette and Sarah his wife.

To Abraham Schott and Elizabeth Van Nett, his wife, a son Abraham Feb. 10, 1770, g.p. Christian Schrieber and Elizabeth Schrieber.

To Jacobus Van Etten and Rachel Kip a son Benjamin. Sept. 4, 1785.

New Jersey Men in the Revolution, p. 798 Sussex Co. Benjamin, Gideon, Peter Van Etten. p. 441 Daniel Vanetten, 1st Lt. Capt. Shimer's Co. 3rd Bn. Sussex.

Peter Vanest also 1st Lt. Capt. Westbrook's Co. 3rd Bn. Sussex.

Jacob, 2nd Lt. Capt. Shimer's Co. 3rd Bn. p. 447.

The name of Peter is also in Maj. Westbrook's Bn. of state troops. p. 304 a John Vannet (no information) also Capt. Piatt's Co. 1st Bn. 2nd est. also Mil.

p. 801 John Van Netter 1st Bn. Somerset; also state troops; also Cont'l army.

Van Etten-from Vol. 4, p. 184a of Munsell's genealogies of the first families of Albany (Collections of the history of Albany).

JACOBUS VAN ETTEN and Annatie Pangburn (Pengbang); children: Jacobus b. July 16, 1765

BENJAMIN VAN ETTEN and Heiltie Vredenburgh, Ch:

Jacobus b. Apr. 6, 1768

BENJAMIN VAN ETTEN and Catherine Earl (Erl, Ell) ch:

Isaac b. Aug. 31, 1776; Catharine b. Aug. 26, 1778; Jacob b. Mar. 14, 1780; Benj. b. May 1, 1788 and John b. May 24, 1791

HANNES VAN ETTEN and Geertrug Redliff; ch:

Heiltje b. June 16, 1783

ISAAC VAN ETTEN and Celia Radley, ch:

William b. Jan 1, 1793 .

Book of the Supervisore of Dutchess Co. N.Y. A.D. 1718-1722 pub. Vassar Bros. Institute, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

p. 123 year 1728-lyst of Real and personall estates of all free holders, Inhabitants, Residents, etc. of the Northward of the County of Dutchers- Jan. 4: Johannes Van Etten, Jurrye Westfalle, Simon and Wouter Westfalle, Jacobus Van Etten and Jacobus, Junn., Peter Van Etten and Arrvra Roosa, Junn.

Vol. 3 Horn Papers, map 72 John Vanatten "Leghorn" on Mingo Creek, warranted Apr. 11, 1785; surveyed June 25, 1785 Patented Sept. 24, 1787. Warrantee - p. 12-24 (possible John Jr. of John b. 1759 no. 46), as he was a scout and traveled into western Pa.

There was a Mary McGee wife of Johannes Van Etten Jr. which we have not been able to place. The records show them as witnesses on the bp. of Marjorie dau. of Gideon and Blandina Betran Van Etten on Nov. 9, 1802. Also there is a Mary McGee and Benjamin Rosenhants who had children bp. in 1772 to 1780. See Cornelius no. 26, may fit there.

Calendar of wills: N.J.: archives Vol. vi, p. 433. Jacob Westbrook's will - Oct. 20, 1780, of Montague, Sussex Co. N.J. mentions youngest daughter Janitje as wife of Levy Van Atten.

Chamber's Early Germans of N.J. p. 667 gives Weise, John Phillip (1), Phillip (2), Jacob (3), Catherine Ann (4) married Daniel Van Natta.

Some Notes included on PETRUS VAN ETTEN found in Sylvester's Hist. of Dutchess Co. N.Y. on p. 117. Not knowing just where to place them and knowing that there are incorrect published records, one should do further research upon these lines before accepting them.

PETRUS VAN ETTEN came over (to America) between 1630-33 with two brothers and settled in Rhinebeck; the brothers were Aubram (Abram), killed by the Indians, and Baymon (Benjamin), who never married. Petrus had a son Petrus who was born Rhinebeck 1717 (family Bible) Dutchess Co. N.Y. This son Petrus is supposed to have been the father of Arie, who, in 1748 m. Christina DeWitt, dau. of Patrus of Ulster and Saugerities, N.Y.

Arie divided his farm at Plattskill among his three sons, Jacobus (bp. Mar. 29, 1764), Elias (bp. Aug. 26, 1766) and John (bp. June 5, 1759). He also had a dau. Maria (eldest child) bp. Oct. 4, 1755.

John (bp. June 5, 1759) m. at Kingston Mar. 4, 1792 (then 33 yrs of age) Maria Valkenburg, dau. of John Van Valkenburgh. Their children were Jonas 1793; Levi 1795; Peggy 1799; Johan Aaron 1801; Sally Eliza 1805; Eva Maria 1810 and Sara Gerterie.

A Revolutionary record is given for this John as having served in Gate's army, fought in the battle of Saratoga or Bemis Heights and was at the surrender of Gen. Burgoyne.

John Aaron b. 1801 m. Oct. 19, 1826 Rebecca Vredenburg, b. Mar. 20, 1808. The Ulster Co. Hist. reproduces a photograph of their son John E. Van Etten b. 4-2-1830 at Woodstock, N.Y. He m. Adeline Green. Mrs. Jessie Green Van Etten Preston (D.A.R. Lineage Vol. 4, p. 227) is a descendant through this John.

A Peter and John Van Etten were signers of the Cocksackie Declaration of Independence Jan. 17, 1775. (N.Y.)

See no. 34.

New York Gen. and Biog. Record Vol. 71, p. 362; buried on the Deder-
ick farm, Saugerties, N.Y.

Caroline Van Etten wife of Abraham, d. 10-3-1834 age 32-2-18.

Abraham, their son, d. Dec. 11, 1834 aged 2 mo. 15 da.

Herman, d. Oct. 2, 1845 ae 22-11-24

James d. in New Orleans, Dec. 20, 1849 ae 21-3-4

Collections on the Hist. of Albany.

Pangburn (Pengburn) Richard of Niskatha, m. CATHALYNTJE VAN
ETTEN Sept. 28, 1769. Children born:

Willem, Oct. 6, 1771

Hilletje, Jan. 8, 1772

Benjamin, Feb. 24, 1777

Isaac, Aug. 12, 1791

p. 184-a VAN ETTEN Jacobus and Annatje Pangburn (Pengbang) ch:
Jacobus b. July 16, 1765

VAN ETTEN Benjamin and Catharine Earl (Erl, Ell) Ch. b.:

Isaac, Aug. 31, 1776

Catharine, Aug. 26, 1778

Jacob, Mar. 14, 1780

Jacob, Mar. 14, 1780

Benjamin, May 1, 1788

John, May 24, 1791

p. VAN ETTEN, Isaac and Celia Radley Ch; William b. Jan. 1,
1793

CAUDEBEC - PROVOST

JACOB CAUDEBEC, (1), b. abt 1666 Normandy, d. after 1767, m. Oct.
21, 1695, at New York City, Margaretta Provost.

Children: (Caudebec)

1. Maria bp. Aug. 2, 1696 at Kingston m. 1st Aug. 20, 1716 Julian
Westfall; m. 2nd William Cole. see page 2.

2. Benjamin (2) bp. Feb. 19, 1699 at Kingston; d. abt. 1779 unmarried.
He was an Ulster Co. militiaman in 1738, a signer of the Revo-
lutionary pledge in 1775.

3. Elsie bp. Oct. 19, 1701, m. June 11, 1727, Harmonas (Herman)
Van Gorden

4. William, bp. June 2, 1704 in N.Y. d. abt 1778, m. Apr. 8, 1733 at
Kingston, Jemima Elting

5. Jacob bp. July 7, 1706 in N.Y. m. Jannetje Westbrook

6. James (Jacobus) bp. July 7, 1706 in N.Y. d. abt 1735 m. Neltje
Decker

7. Eleanor m. Evert (Ebert) Hornbeck
8. Magdalena bp. Jan. 31, 1712 at Kingston
9. Dinah bp. Jan 19, 1714 Minisink; d. abt 1778, m. May 31, 1738
Abraham Louw
10. Abraham bp. Aug. 19, 1716 d. Aug. 18, 1796 m. May 29, 1751
Esther Swartwout
11. Naomi bp. Jan. 16, 1726 in Rochester m. May 11, 1757 Lodewyke
Hornbeck

MARIA (2) CODEBEC (Jacob 1) bp. Aug. 2, 1696 at Kingston, m. Aug. 20, 1716 at Minisink, Jurian Westfall, widower, b. April 27, 1684, d. abt 1731 son of Johannes Juriaans Westphael who m. Jan. 26, 1683, Marytje Cool. He was a grandson of Jurian Westphael and Marytje Hansen, who came to Ulster Co., in 1657. They lived in northern New Jersey until his death, when Maria m. William Cole. They resided in Sandyston, N.J. where she died about 1796. Children (Westfall)

1. Benjamin bp. January 28, 1718 m. Annettie Van Aken
2. Margaretjen bp. Jan. 16, 1720 in Rochester
3. Marretjen bp. Jan. 31, 1720 m. Jan Van Etten
4. Daniel bp. Sept. 21, 1723 m. Maria Westbrook

Children (Cole)

5. Lena Cole bp. May 20-9-1739
6. Maria Feb. 7, 1741
7. Petrus Oct. 31, 1739
8. Wilhelmus Aug. 18, 1741
9. William Dec. 23, 1744
10. Lena Jan. 7, 1746
11. Wilhelmus May 10, 1747

Copied from the Cuddeback genealogy pub. 1919 by Wm. Louis Cuddeback, D. of Pt. Jervis, N.Y. Tobias A. Wright pub. and Editor.

All the above children's lines are carried out except Benjamin and Magdalena.

D.A.R. Lin. Vol. 32, p. 115.

Daniel Van Etten (1787-1845) m. 1810 Margaret Cuddeback (1791-1879) Their dau. Hannah b. 1811 m. 1830 William A. Teller.

PROVOST

David William Provost, of a French Huguenot family, came from near Rouen in Normandy, in 1638, to New Amsterdam. His son, Benjamin Provost, b. at Hartford, Conn. bp. July 17, 1646 m. June 11, 1666 Sara Barents of Haerlem, Holland, afterwards m. Nov. 5, 1671 Elsje Alberts of New York, whose daughter Margaretta bp. Sept. 16, 1763 m. Oct. 21, 1695 Jacob Cudebec.

Benjamin Provost was named in treaty of peace with the Indians at Kingston, Feb. 11, 1679, was on May 1, 1687 by letters patent constituted one of the trustees of Kingston and continued as such until 1690. He d. at Peenpack July 16, 1720 and was buried there, where his grave may be seen today in the burying ground on a Knoll near Pioneer knoll. His sons-in-law, Jacob Codebec, Anthony DeMill, who m. Maria Provost Sept. 26, 1706, and his son David Provost, on May 8, 1725, petitioned for letters of administration on his estate.

David Provost Jr. was Mayor of New York in 1698-99, having served as alderman, chamberlain and treasurer of the city.

ROOSA

The ROOSA family of Ulster and Dutchers Co. N.Y.

- I. ROOSA, Albert Heymans (1), Burger, with his wife and children came from Gilderland, in 1660 on the ship called "Spotted Cow" from Holland. He was born d. Hurley, N.Y. 2-27-1679. He was appointed "Schepan" (Alderman) of Wiltwick, (Esopus), now Kingston, N.Y. by Peter Stuyvesant in 1669. He served in the Military forces of the Colony as mustering officer and in other capacities and on April 5, 1670 recruited at Hurley and Marbletown. (see 2nd annual report of State Historian, N.Y. pages 378, 379, 384. Also same vol. pages 185, 191, 201, 204, 207, 266, 276, 285, 287, 290, 294, 427. Accounts of Albert and his son Arie. Vol. 31 pages 235-236 N.Y. Historical Magazine.)

Wife Wyntje Allard (Wyntie Arrens) Ariens
children:

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| 1. Arie b. Holland | m. Marie Pels |
| 2. Heyman | m. Margaret Rosevelt |
| 3. Jan | m. Helligoud Williams |
| 4. Ikee | m. Roeloff Kierstede |
| 5. Maritje (Mary) | m. ----- Jansen |
| 6. Meltje (Meltien) | m. Hendric Pauldin |
| 7. Wyntjen | m. Nicholas Depuy |
| 8. Jannetjen (Jane) | m. Matys Ten Eyck Nov. 16, 1679 |
| 9. Aert (Arthur) | |
| 10. Annatje (Hannah or Ann) | |
| 11. Guert d. 6-15-1664 | |

2nd Generation

- II. ROOSA, Capt. Arie (2) b. 1645 Holland, came with his parents to America in 1660. died
m. Marie Pels, dau. of Evert and Jannetje (Symens) Pels.
(Marriage proof and baptism. Records of Old Dutch Church, Kingston N.Y. page 12, no. 196; Hoe's Register, p. 2 no. 10, p. 1

no. 55; Vol. 31, pp. 166, 237, N.Y. Historical Magazine.)

"A Rool of the names and surnames of them that haue takin oath of Allegience in ye country of Ulster by order of His Excely, Ye Governor; ye first day of September Anno Qe Domini 1689" and also upon "a list of the Freeholders within the county of Ulster, 1728" also Freeholders of the town of Kingston: Aldert Ariese Roosa, AARIE ROOSA. On the former list appears the names of Jacob Van Etten and his son Jan, Johannes Westbrook and Evert Pels. In 1686, Arie Roosa, Jan Eltinge, Gerrit Aartsen, Hendrick Kip and Jacob Kip, were granted a large Tract of Land in Dutchers Co. This tract or grant is called "Arie Roosa Patent" and it embraced about 1500 acres, opposite Roudout Creek (Rondout) near Kingston, and extending along the bank of the Hudson River. Arie Roosa settled upon this grant and lived there through the remainder of his life. Many descendants are now found in Dutchers Co. as prosperous farmers and merchants.

(Documentary History of N.Y. Vol. 1 pp. 357-363:

New York army list for 1700-Province of N.Y. In another Foot company of Militia-- Arie Rose, Capt.; John Rose, Lieut; Aria Gerrttse, ensign.)

Children of Arie and Marie (Pels) Roosa

1. Jennetje b. abt 1670 m. abt 1690 Jan Van Etten

(Proof: deed, 1725 recorded book C C Ulster Co. Records and Hoe's Register of Church records p. 40 no. 759 p. 43. Jan's second marriage says that he is the widower of Jannetje Roosa)

For children and further record see The VAN ETTEN line.

2. Evert bapt. 10-26-1679 m. Tietje Van Etten (2), Jacobus (1).

3. Weyntie bapt. 6-4-1682

4. Engeltie bapt. 9-3-1685

5. Annetje bapt. 12-22-1687

6. Arien Alberson bapt. 6-3-1694

7. Mary bapt. 8-28-1698

Direct line of Eva A. Scott from Albert Roosa (1)

I. Albert Roosa and wife Wyntie Ariens

II. Capt. ARIE ROOSA and wife Marie Pels

III. Jennetje Roosa and husband Jan Van Etten

IV. Jacobus Van Etten b. 1696 d. 1779 and wife Antjen Westbrook

V. Jan Van Etten b. 1720 and wife Mary Westfall

VI. Daniel Van Etten b. 1742 and wife (2nd) Mary Brink

VII. John Van Etten b. 1772 and wife Ann LaBar

VIII. Sally Van Etten and John McKinzie

IX. Harriet McKenzie and Alexander Scott

X. Alexander Scott and Rosa Bell Lewis

XI. Eva Alice Scott.

The ROOSA Bible record is published in OLD ULSTER Volume 7, p. 28, 239. Jennetje Roosa, her Bible-1744 was in the possession of Mr. John P. Roosa of Hurley, N.Y. in 1911.

De JONGH

- I. Adrian DeJongh 1500, Holland
 - II. Adrian DeJongh 1530 "
 - III. Mierten Adrianse DeJongh 1560, Holland
 - IV. Adrian Miertensen " 1600, "
 - V. Wilhemina Wyntje Ariens De Jongh 1630 m. Aldert Hermans Roosa.
 - VI. Arien Roosa b. 1645 m. Maria Pels
- DeJongh copied from the New York Gen. and Biog. Record Vol. 31.

WESTFALL (WESTVAAL)

Reference taken from "Church Life" April 1891 by William Nearpass.

- I. WESTFALL, JURIAN (or Van Westfaelen) came to America in 1644 and settled in Ulster Co. N.Y. in 1657. died
he married Martije Hansen, b. d.

Children:

- 1. Johannes m. Martije Kool dau. of Jacob of Kingston on Jan. 26.
- 2. Abel b. Sept. 25, 1661 m. Antjon Bogard settled W. Augusta Co. Va.
- 3. Nicholas m. Maria Montange on Apr. 21, 1701
m. 2nd Sara V. Aken Oct. 20, 1712
- 4. Symen bp. Sept. 30, 1663 m. Neeltje Quackenbos
- 5. Elsjen bp. June 27, 1666

The three brothers, Johannes, Symen and Nicholas were mentioned with Cuddeback and others in deed from the Indians at Minisink and Mahackamack (now Deerpark or Port Jervis, N.Y.)

- II. WESTFALL, JOHANNES, son of Jurian (1) b.
m. Martje Cool, dau. of Jacob
(p. 506 no. 59 Hoe's Marriage Register.) Johannes Juriaanz Westphaal, j.m. of Foxhal (Foxhall, name of the manor, in Kingston, granted to Thomas Chambers) in Esopus and resid. in Kingston, and MARITJE JACOBZ COOL, j.d. of Kingston, and resid. there.
First Pub. of Banns 17 Dec. 1682. Married 28, Jan. 1683.

Children:

- 1. Jurian (only one known so far)

- III. JURIAN WESTFALL son of Johannes (2) bp. April 27, 1684
m. 1st Styntjen van Kuykendaal
(Hoe's p. 532 no. 356) JURIAAN WESTVAAL widower of the above
and Marytjen Koddebek j.d. both parties born in Kingston, and now

residing in Menissing (Minisink). Banns registered 29 July, 1716. Married at Minissing.

Minisink is the name originally applied to a mining settlement by the Dutch and Swedes, on both banks of the Delaware River, prior to 1700, extending from the Water Gap in a northerly direction about forty miles. The Minisink region also included a considerable portion of western and northern N.J. and the southerly sections of Orange and Sullivan counties, as they now exist, in the state of N.Y. The village of Minisink in N.J. was situated near the confluence of the Delaware and Neversink rivers, and was burned and pillaged by Brandt and his followers. There is a township in Orange Co. named Minisink, organized in 1780, which originally comprised a large extent of territory expending into the N.J. line, and which in 1790 contained 2,215 inhabitants. It now covers less than one third of its former area. The "Minisink Patent," granted by the crown in 1704, covered a considerable portion of the Minisink country, but was so general and indefinite as to its boundaries that for a long time it proved a very disturbing element among the inhabitants of that patent and the numerous others granted about the same time.

Domine Mancius doubtless applied the name of Minisink indiscriminately to every portion to the Minisink region.

Jurian Westfall was one of the original settlers of the site of the ancient Minisink settlement-died in 1731 and his property descended to his wife and seven children. His widow later married William Cole and she died at the age of 100 years.

Among the seven children of Jurian and Mary (Koddeback) Westfall was a daughter.

MARIETJE WESTFAAL bp. Jan. 3, 1730 m. JAN VAN ETTEN.
for continuation see the VAN ETTEN line.

WESTBROOK

ANTHONY JANSEN WESTBROECK (Anthony Janz Van Westbrook), first found Albany, Colony of New York, 1659, his wife Orrseltie Dirks (Dirxs); of their children, a son

JOHANNES WESTBROOK, born in Albany, married Magdalena Janse Decker. Banns recorded 12 May, 1687 (p. 509 Kingston Church).

The will of Johannes Westbrook, of Knightsfield (Warwarsing) liber 10 p. 422 Ulster Co. Wills-dated Jan. 25, 1725-6, names "my eldest son, Anthony." Will proved April 10, 1727. Anthony was a court messenger and inn keeper at Albany. Also an officer in Cromwell's army. He took the oath of allegiance in 1689.

The children of Johannes and Lena (Decker)

1. ANTHONY Westbrook bp. 17 April 1692. A will dated June 25, 1755 and proved 24 Feb. 1757 at Trenton, N.J. is believed to have been his. He died about that time at Minisink, Sussex Co. N.J. Was a justice and an elder in the Dutch reformed church. m. 30 Apr. 1714 Aaltjen (Alice) Van Etten dau. of Jan Van Etten and Jannetje Roosa V.E. (see nos. 2, 13).
2. Sarah bp. 10 June 1694 m. 30 Apr. 1714 Cornelius Van Aken
3. Johannes bp. 19 July 1696
4. Johannes bp. 9 Jan. 1698 m. 19 Dec. 1715 Antjen Roosa (dau. of Capt. Arie and Marie Pels)
5. Ante bp. 28 July 1700 m. 22 Apr. 1719 Jacob Van Etten (see no. 14 3rd generation) b. Hurley 1696
6. Cornelius bp. 14 Mar. 1703 m. 10 Apr. 1724 Annatjen Roosa
7. Dirk (Richard) bp. 15 Dec. 1706 m. May 12, 1728 Janneken Van Keuren

DECKER
(Broersen Line)

1. Jan Broersen Decker born circa 1630 m. (1) Heyltje Jacobs (widow of 1st. Albert Gerretsen and m. 2nd Dec. 24, 1678 Willem-tie Jacobs, widow of Jan Cornelissen of Gottenburgh, Sweden). (No issue by 2nd wife) among their children were:
 Jacob Janse b. circa 1654 m. (1) Beltje Janse Kortright
 Grietjen bp. Aug. 31, 1664 m. Gerret Janse Decker (qv)
 Maddalen bp. Oct. 3, 1666 m. Johannes Westbrook
- 2.(a) Maddalen Decker bp. Oct. 3, 1666 m. Johannes Westbrook b. 1667, d. 1727, m. May 12, 1687. Among their children were:
 (a) Johannes Westbrook Jr. bp. Jan. 9, 1698 (5th child)
 m. Antjen Roosa
 (b) Cornelius Westbrook bp. Mar. 14, 1703 (8th child)
 m. Antjen Roosa
- 2.(b) Jacob Janse Decker b. circa 1654 m. (1) Beltje Kortright. Their 9th child was:
 Broer Decker bp. Jan. 1, 1701, d. 1777, m. Annatje Van Etten (qv)
- 3.(a) Johannes Westbrook Jr. bp. Jan. 9, 1698, m. Dec. 19, 1715 Antjen Roosa; settled at Minisink Sussex Co. N.J. about 1726. Their 4th child was:
 Benjamin Westbrook bp. Mar. 10, 1723, m. Catharine Westbrook

- 3.(b) Cornelius Westbrook bp. Mar. 14, 1703, killed by Indians June 8/9, 1758, m. Antjen Roosa on Apr. 10, 1724; res. opposite Namenoch Island in Sussex Co. N.J. Their 2nd child was:

Catrina (Catharine) bp. Sept. 25, 1726, m. Benjamin Westbrook bp. 1723 (qv)

DECKER
(Gerretsen Line)

1. Jan Gerretsen Decker born circa 1640, married Mar. 23, 1664 at Kingston, Ulster Co. N.Y.-Grietje Hendricks Westercamp bp. Oct. 19, 1642, N.Y. (dau. of Hendrick Janse Westercamp and Femmetje Alberts). Among their children were:

- i. Gerret bp. Feb. 14, 1665 Kingston child-m-Margriet (Grietje) Decker (qv)
- ii. Hendrick bp. Oct. 9, 1667 " child-m-Antje (Hannah) Quick
- iii. Hermanus b. circa 1671 " child-m-Rachel de la Montagne

- 2.(a) Hendrick Decker bp. Oct. 9, 1667, d. 1757 m. 1st at Mombaccus N.Y. Dec. 18, 1694-Antje Quick, and removed to Minisink Orange Co. N.Y. abt 1700. She d. abt 1716. m. 2nd June 12, 1717 Janetjen Cortreght of Rochester.

Ch:

1st five by Anna Quick - 1st seven baptised Kingston - last six by 2nd wife

- i. Geertje (3) bp. Sept. 11, 1697
- ii. Femetje Oct. 29, 1699 m. Petrus Kuykendall
their fifth child was Peter Kuykendall b. 1732 m. Katharien Kittle (Kittel)
- iii. Sara May 10, 1702
- iv. Thomas Sept. 3, 1704, d. 1780 prob. Shawangunka; m. Jennebee, dau. of Gerardus van Nimwegan, in 1727
His dau. Annetje mar. in 1750 Anthony Van Etten
His son Johannes bp. Oct. 26, 1735 Orange Co. d. 1793
m. 1st Elizabeth DeWitt and 2nd Deborah Van Vliet
- v. Johannes March 9, 1712
- vi. Abraham June 19, 1720
- vii. Magdalena Feb. 25, 1728
- viii. Elias Sept. 17, 1732
- ix. Matheus Oct. 21, 1736
- x. Alida Oct. 9, 1740
- xi. Hishia May 18, 1743

- 3.(a) Hermanus Decker b. circa 1671, m. Rachel de la Montagne b. 1674 (dau. of William de la Montagne (High Sheriff of Ulster Co.) and Eleanor de Hooges) Their eldest child was:
Margreit bp. Mar. 8, 1696, m. Pieter (Peter) Van Gorden
- 3.(b) Margriet Decker bp. Mar. 8, 1696, m. Pieter (Peter) Van Gorden bp. Nov. 1, 1684, they moved from Ulster Co. N.Y. to Shippekonk ("Smooth Rocks") in Montague Sussex Co. N.J., 3 miles south of Port Jervis, N.Y. Their 2nd child was:
Alexander Van Gorden bp. Oct. 6, 1728, m. Annetje Kortright
- 4.(a) Peter Kuykendall born 1732, d. Jan. 1822 (p. 150 Kuykendall Family), m. Catharine Kittle, bp. Feb. 10, 1734 (dau. of Richard or Dirck Kittel and Rachel Van Etten). Their eldest child was:
Solomon Kuykendall Jr. bp. Oct. 21, 1753, m. Maria Westbrook
- 4.(b) Alexander Van Gorden Sr. bp. Oct. 6, 1728, m. Annetje Kortright bp. Feb. 10, 1734 (dau. of Peter and Mary V. Gorden Kortright) Their 2nd child was:
Lt. Alexander Van Gorden Jr. bp. Jan. 20, 1754, m. Hannah Pomeroy b. July 5, 1762
- 5.(a) Solomon Kuykendale Jr. bp. Oct. 21, 1763, d. post Sept. 26, 1784 Deerpark (Port Jervis, N.Y.) m. May 1, 1771, Maria (Mary) Westbrook bp. May 12, 1742 (dau. of Benjamin Westbrook and Catharine Westbrook. Their eldest daughter was:
Catharine Kuykendale b. Jan. 27, 1782, bp. June 22, 1783, m. John I. Van Etten
- 5.(b) Alexander Van Gorden Jr. (Lt.) bp. Jan. 20, 1754, d. May 18, 1820, Liberty Twp. Butler Co. Ohio, m. Dec. 27, 1777/8 in Shapinack, Walpack Twp. Sussex Co. N.J. to Hannah Pomeroy b. July 5, 1762 in N.J., d. after 1855 in Ohio. Their 3rd child was:
Mary Van Gorden b. Nov. 8, 1787, m. John Van Gorden
- 6.(a) Mary Van Gorden b. Nov. 8, 1787, d. 1884, m. John Van Gorden b. Jan. 9, 1788, d. Aug. 7, 1852 (son of Moses and Eliz. Van Etten Gorden); res. Delaware Twp. Pike Co. Pa. Their only surviving child was:
Lucinda Van Gorden b. Dec. 15, 1810, bp. May 1811, d. May 19, 1891, m. Daniel E. Van Etten.

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(Note: Mr. Keator states that Jan Broerse and Jan Jerritse, were the ancestors of most of the Deckers of the Hudson and Delaware River valley. The Pennsylvania Deckers are German and a different lot. The descendants of Johan de Decker of Staten Island (i.e., "John the decker," or "roofer") are still another group. The "de" means "the" and not "of" as in French. Many Deckers received their surname on account of the fact that they were unable to obtain state rooms on the emigrant ship and were obliged to sleep on deck. They thus acquired the nickname "decker" and in many cases it probably stuck.

VAN GORDEN

- i. Albert Gystertse, a rope maker from Holland; settled at Ft. Orange (Albany) N.Y. about 1654; married Aeltje Wiggers about 1650; he died between July 22 and Dec. 16 1654/5. His only child was:
 Gysbert Albert (Van Gorden) born about 1655, m. Rachel Rosenkrans bp. Oct. 21, 1663
- ii. Gysbert Albert (Van Gorden) b. about 1655, d. prior to 1720; settled in Rochester Ulster Co. N.Y. about 1684; about 1684 he took the name Van Gorden; married Rachel Rosenkrans (dau. of Hendrick Harmon Rosenkrans, immigrant from Bergen, Norway). She was bp. Oct. 21, 1663. Among their children were:
 Albert Gysbert bp. June 10, 1680 (1st child), m. Jannetje Van Vredenburg
 Pieter bp. Nov. 1, 1684 (3rd child) m. Margaret Decker (qv)
- iii. Albert Gysbert Van Gorden bp. June 10, 1680, m. Jannetje Van Vredenburg. Their son
- iv. William Van Gorden bp. Sept. 28, 1707, m. Annatjen Vredenburg (cousin) on June 11, 1728; they resided in Upper Smithfield, Pike Co. Pa. in 1735 and afterward moved to Shippeconck, Sussex Co. N.J. Among their children was:
 Jacobus (James) born about 1730, d. 1796, m. Catharine Kortright
- v. Jacobus (James) Van Gorden born about 1730, d. 1796, m. Catharine Kortright bp. Jan. 28, 1722, m. At Minisink, N.J. (dau. of Peter and Mary V. Gorden Kortright) Their eldest child:
- vi. Moses Van Gorden b. Oct. 14, 1753, m. Elizabeth Van Etten (dau. of Capt. Johannes V. Etten Sr.) who had ch:
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EARLY NAMES OF PLACES IN NORTHAMPTON CO. PA.
AND VICINITY

Analoninck, a stream, now called Broadhead's stream

Brinker's Mills, now called Saylorburg

Dansbury, East Stroudsburg, also called Broadhead's

Dutotsburg, now Delaware Water Gap

Easton, once called "Forks of the Delaware"

Esopus, now Kingston also called "Sopus and Wiltwyck"

Kittatinny - "Endless hills" of the blue mountains

Machackemeck (and various spellings) now Port Jervis

Minisink, from the Minsies, meaning "Water is all gone"

Mormel, Marbletown

Pohoqualine, an Indian name for "a river between two mountains" -
Delaware Water Gap

New Jorck, New York

Tioga, now Athens, N.Y.

New Village - new Dorp, Horle, Horley and Hurley

Upland, in 1682, now Chester, Pa.

Wyomissing, so called by the Indians - later called Shawano and
Shawnee

Mombaccus, early name for the general tract of country now embraced
in the town of Rochester, N.Y. which town was not called Rochester
until early in the last century, after which the name Monbaccus was
applied as it now is, to a small locality in the same town.

Minsi Pioneers, a modern group of trail brazers in and around Easton
and Delaware Water Gap, so called from the Indians; have for their
motto, "Inveniam viam aut faciam" interpreted "I will find a way, or
make one."

Orange Co. N.Y. place names:

Minisink - a town, a township on the Wallkill creek which runs
through Orange and Ulster counties and empties into the Hudson Rv.
Port Jervis, once called Deerpark and is now in Deer Park Twp.

In Ulster Co. is Warwarsing and Napanock (town) close together on Sabdbury Creek

The Neversink town is on the Neversink Creek

Napanock is in N.Y. and Mamenock is in the present twp. of Montague, Sussex, N.J.

GLOSSARY

- Ackerman - farmer
 Baas - a master (Bos, vulgarly written)
 Kerkbaas - preacher
 Baker - a dry nurse
 Bank - a bench
 Beedel - an estate
 Bouwery - a farm
 Burger - a citizen
 DeGraaf - the count
 Groot - great
 Kerkhof - Churchyard
 knecht - a servant
 Schepens - a magistrate
 getyngen - witness
 Aarend, Aert - Arthur
 Adriaantje, Jaantje (fe) - Adrianna
 Aaltje, Aeltje, Aletta, Daatje, Elsje - Alice
 Alta, Aletta, Alida - Adeline, Adela
 Alyd, Adelheyd - Adelaide
 Aefje, Aetje - Eve, Eva
 Agt - Agatha
 Ant, Anneken, Annetje, Antje - Ann, Anna, Nan, Nanny or Nancy
 Arie - Adrian
 Annatje - Hannah
 Arendt - Arnold; Arnout, Arent - Arnold
 Ariaantje - Harriet
 Barent - Bernard
 Barbertje - Barbara, Bab
 Bartje - Bertha
 Boudewyn - Baldwin
 Betje - Betty or Elizabeth
 Beetje, Meeltje, Kee and Neeltje - Cornelia, Nelly
 Schout - presiding officer of the court
 Patroon - a master or employer
 Stuywer - a penny
 Vredrichter - a justice of the peace
 Van - from, of
 Trouw - troth
 Hyuerta (Brink)
 Variations of the name Van Etten - all prefixed, with Van: Aak, Aake, Aaken, Aeeken, Aeke, Aeken, Ake, Nike, Aken, Akin, Auken, ett, Ette, Etten, nak, Nike, Naken, Natte, Natten, Nette, Oetten, Eaton, Aten.
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 Claes - Nicholas
 Daam - Adam
 Derrick, Dirk, Dirkje - Richard
 Dientje (fe) - Dorothy
 Diederick, Doris, Dorus - Theodore
 Eytje, Eltje - Ida
 Emmetje - Emma
 Engeltje - Angelia
 Femmetje - Phoebe, Frances
 Fletje - Sophia
 Geertuyd, Geesje, Geertje, Gieetje - Gertrude
 Gerert - Godfrey
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 Jaapie, Jakomma, Jaapje,
 Jakemyntie - Jacobs
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 Jemima
 Jaap, Japik - Jacob
 Jannetje, Janne - Jane
 Jezaia - Isiah
 Jacobus, Jahobus, Kobus, Jakobus
 - James
 Jacopus - Jacob, James
 Jan, Johannes - John
 Jans - Jane
 Jansic - Janet
 Jobie - Jacob
 Joris, Jurian, Jurge - George
 Jantje - Johnny or Jackie
 Kaatje, Katryne, Katryntje,
 Tryntje - Catherina, Kitty, Kate
 Karel - Charles
 Klaas - Nicholas
 Klaasje - Clarissa
 Kersten, Kristiaan - Christian
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 Natje, Annaatje - Anna
 Neeltje - Cornelia (Nelly)
 Netje - Netty
 Niesje - Agnes
 Noortje - Nora
 Petrus, Pieter - Peter
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 Reesje - Rose
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 Saartje - Sarah (also Taatje) -
 Saal - Solomon
 Sander - Alexander
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 Staats - Eustice
 Stoffel - Christopher
 Styntie - Christiana
 Tanneken - Ann
 Teunis - Anthony
 Teuntje - Eunice, Antonia
 Tibout - Theobald
 Tientje - Albertma
 Trijn, Trijntie - Kit, Kitty
 Truytje - Gertrude
 Trui - Gerty
 Tymen - Timothy
 Tys - Matthias
 Urseltje - Ursula
 Wouter - Walter
 Wyntie - Lavinia
 Ydtje - Ida
 Zanneke - Susanna

"Je" and "ken" - added to the
 dutch names are properly diminu-
 tives, as we would say Annie,
 Billy and Nelly.

Our fathers find their graves in our short memories and tell us how we may be buried in our survivors. Oblivion is not to be hired. The greater part must be content to be as though they had not been - to be found in the register of God, not in the record of man.

- Sir Thomas Brown (1605-1682)

If you could see your ancestors, all standing in a row
There might be some you wouldn't care to know;
Some strange discoveries are made in climbing family trees
And some of them do not particularly please.

If you could see your ancestors, all standing in a row
Would you be proud of them or not, or don't you really know?
But, here's another question which requires a different view,
If you could see your ancestors, would they be proud of you?

- Rufus Craig

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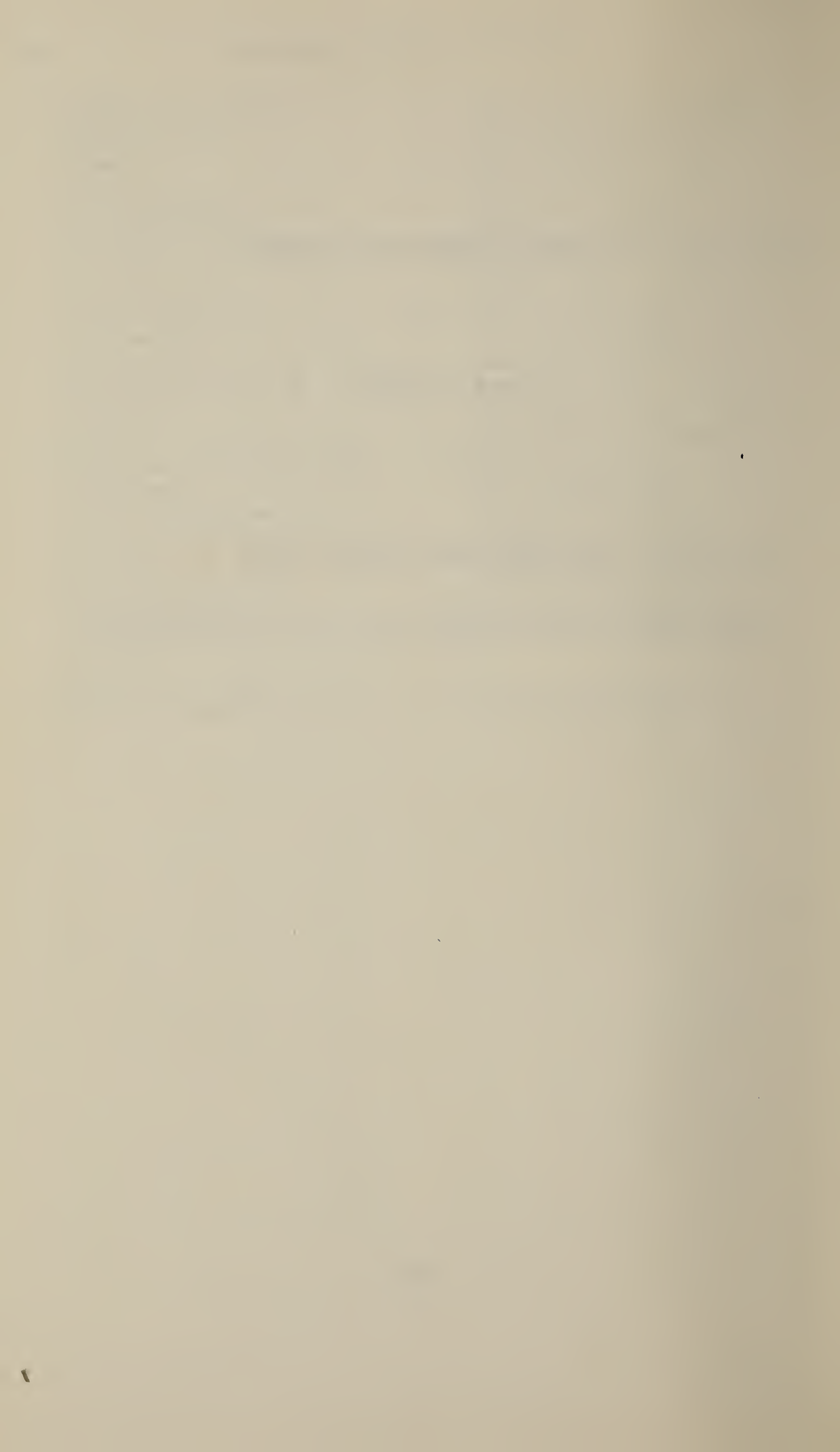
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ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS

These sheets are to be placed in your Van Etten genealogy.

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ERRATA AND ADDITIONS

- Page 11, line 7. John, a forrester, should read, John married a Forrester. Also p. 91, 4 John (4).
- Page 11, line 21. 2. Johannes - see additions, will of Johannes of Sussex Co. N. J. w. Jinne---.
- Page 16, no. 13. The following list of marriages is to be added to the ch:
- i. m. on May 31, 1738, Magdalena Westbrook
 - ii. m. on Apr. 17, 1743, Simeon Westfall
 - iii. m. on Apr. 11, 1746, Lydia Westfall
 - iv. m. on Mar. 3, 1747, Abram Chambers
 - v. m. on Nov. 1, 1755, Jannetje Keter
 - vi. m. on Aug. 5, 1757, Susanna Kettle (Kittle)
- Page 19, v. 1st line no. 31.a. Johannes Decker (4) b. circa 1729/31 (s. of Broer and Antje V. Etten) m. Mar. 1, 1751 Maria (not Johanna) Van Tilburgh.) p. 93/4-V-5-Walpack Rec.) Ch: number not certain
- 1. Antje bp. Feb. 23, 1752 Minisink Dutch ref. ch. m. Nov. 9, 1768 (1) Daniel Van Campen who d. 1777. m. 2nd James (Jacobus) Dingman. (a) Johannes bp. 1783 (p. 31 Walpack).
Ch: VAN CAMPEN
 - i. Maria bp. Apr. 30, 1772 (Walpack D. Ref. Ch. V. 5, N. Y. Gen. and Biog. rec.) (Magdalena or Eleanor b. 1772) who m. Levi Drake. 1st ch. was Daniel V. b. Mar. 17, 1792. Note: Shawnee Pres. Cem. Ins. - Eleanor Van Camp, w. of Levi Drake, b. Mar. 16, 1772 - d. Oct. 13, 1824 aged 52 yrs.; also Bible rec. of Mrs. Alice Dreher Roberts of Stroudsburg, Pa. (Mrs. Randall H. Roberts, a desc.)
 - ii. Janneca bp. June 8, 1777
 - 2. Abraham bp. Dec. 15, 1754 d. after 1833 (p. 130 Minisink) served in Rev. War. Pension rec.- Abraham Decker b. 1754 nr. Dingman's Ferry, Del. Twp., Pike Co. Pa. applied for a pens. in 1833; still living at birth place; had bros. David and Henry who were killed by the Indians during

the Rev. War.

3. David, killed by Indians Rev. War
4. Henry, killed by Indians Rev. War
5. Mary, b. June 23, bp. July 1767 (p. 21 Walpack)
6. Johannes bp. June 15, 1775 (p. 26 Walpack) N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Rec. V. 5.

Page 19, no. 17. Add the following to the list of ch: Jennetje Middag bp. May 29, 1739 Mahackamack: Aalida bp. Mar. 26, 1735 d. of Aard Middag and Arrientje V. Nette (Hoe's p. 209; Catharine bp. Aug. 26, 1736) (Hoe's p. 219)

Page 19, no. 18. v. Catherine - a son Solomon Jr. bp. 21 Oct. 1753 not Johannes.

Page 19, no. 19. Lea (3) V. E. - there are but eight children listed for Lea and Thomas Keeter - no. v. p. 20 should read Leah and Rachel (twins) then there were Susanna bp. 14 Apr. 1748 Marbletown Church and Gideon bp. 26 Jan. 1750/51/, same.

Page 20, no. 22. JACOBUS (3) Van Etten. Children should read VAN ETTEN not KOOL. The Calendar of Wills of Albany by Fernow p. 423 lists the will of Jacobus: "1874 (V 93) 1765 Octbr. 22. 1767 May 11. Van Etten, Jacobus, of Wachconck, Kingston corporation, Ulster Co. Wife, Catharine, sons Arie, Gysbert, Johannes, daughters Arreiantje, Catherine, Maria, Elizabeth and Leaja. Real and personal estate. Exec. sons Johannes and Gysbert, Wilhelmus Hooghteeling jun., esquire, and Johannis van Bunschoten. Witnesses: Wilhelmus Hooghteeling jun., Johannis van Bunschoten and Andries deWitt, all of Kingston, gentlemen.

If he did not die until 1767 then the date of Catherine's 2nd marriage is not correct in the record given unless they were divorced.

His son ii. Johannes bp. 28 Dec. 1721 (p. 20, ii. under no. 22) m. 29 Oct. 1745 at Kingston, N. Y., Jacomntje Newkerk. She was born 18 May 1729 Saugerties, N. Y. Their dau. Lannie Van Etten b. 16 June 1780 d. before 1852 married before 1803 Jacob Bush, b. 9 Nov. 1768 and d. bet. 1850 and 52 Earlton, N. Y. Union Churchyard - no stone.

Lannie and Jacob Bush had a dau. Rachel b. 8 Jan. 1809, d. 12 Apr. 1889 married 1829 Ormer Hollister,

b. 30 June 1803 and d. abt. Oct. 1885. Both are buried Cocksackie, N. Y.

Ann Eliza Hollister b. 15 Jan. 1852 Greene Co., d. 22 Feb. 1940 Utica, N. Y. m. 22 Feb. 1881 at Cocksackie, John Carlton Merritt, b. 18 July, 1844; d. 14 May 1932. Both Marlboro, N. Y.

Charles Edward Merritt, Civil Engineer, b. Morlboro, Ulster Co. m. 3 Sept. 1910 Troy, N. Y. Elizabeth Atwater Mairs, b. Lansingburgh, Rens. Co. N. Y. Mr. Merritt is a member of the S. A. R. and Mrs. Merritt a member of the Oneida Chapter D. A. R.

Their daughter Frances Ann Merritt b. 4 July, 1919 Utica, N. Y. m. 18 Sept. 1943 at Utica, Edward Dederich Drees, who was born Baltimore, Md., they have two children: Jane Elizabeth b. 30 Dec. 1944 and Dedree Ann, b. 16 Feb. 1946..

Mrs. Drees is a member of the Oneida Chapter D. A. R. and her daughters are members of the C. A. R.

Page 36, under no. 26, iii. Gideon and Blandina V. E. add to the list of ch: Jacob V. E. b. 20 Sept. 1800; under his son i, Joannes add d. Aug. 1, 1863 at 71 yrs. m. Cath. Ennis, b. 1771 d. 1879, both bur. Layton Cem. Sussex Co. N. J. (p. 98 - 9 Vol. 1, Old Cem. Sussex Co) Ch. found in Vol. 5 N. Y. Gen and Biog. Rec. were:

1. Sarah b. Aug. 26, bp. 20 Dec. 1812.
2. Mary Margaret bp. 9 Sept. 1821 m. Geratus Major, bur. Layton, N. J.
3. John b. 9 June, bp. 1 Oct. 1826.

Page 37, no. 27. Anthony (4) Van Etten. His will as given in Calendar of Wills, Albany Co. N. Y. by Fernow p. 431: 1905 (V. 123) 1777, Apr. 25; 1778 Nov. 25. Of Goshen Prect., Orange Co. Wife, Annatje, ch: Levi, Henericus, Thomas, Jacob, Antje, Jennekie, Margaret, Alida, Blandina, and Marie. Real and personal estate. Exec. the wife and son Levi and bro.-in-law Jacob DeWitt Gumaer. Wit: Yohannes Decker jun., Samuel Davis and Thomas Kyte, of Ulster Co., Schoolmaster.

Page 38, viii. Add to Hendricus V. E. bp. 14 June 1761 m. 1st Elizabeth Decker m. 2nd ? 20 Dec. 1795 Mary Westfall. ch. bp. Min. Rec. V. 5:

1. Jesias (Isiah) b. 12 Aug. bp. 6 Sept. 1781; d. 19 Mar. 1856 m. Blandina Westbrook b. 1 - 1 - 1785. (see p. 286 N. E. Pa. by Beers).
2. Annatje bp. June 22, 1783.
3. Deborah b. 26 Mar. bp. 1 May 1785.
children of Henry and Mary (Westfall)
4. ? Anthony b. 1803.
5. Jesse b. 17 Aug. 1808 bp. 6 Nov. 1808.
6. Levi D. b. 9 Oct. 1810 bp. 19 May 1811.

Page 45, no. 30. Correction. It was Sarah Van Auken, not Van Etten who m. Jacob Van Sickel. See p. 120 V. 5 N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Rec. gives Jacobus Van Sickel and Sara Van Aken had ch: Johannes Casparus bp. Sept. 23, 1750 sp. were J. C. Freyenmuth and w. Magdalena V. E. (this ch. was named for the pastor rather than for the V. E. connection.) On p. 178 same - Aug. 16, 1782 Joseph Van Aken and Eliz. Westfall had ch. Sarah bp. sp. were Jacobus Van Sickle and Sarah Van Aken. On p. 135 Jan 27, 1759 Jacob Van Ake and w. Margaret Van Gorde(n) had ch. Casparus bp. sp. were Cobus Van Sickle and Sarah Van Ake. The Van Auken sketch says that Sarah V. Auken bp. 1726, dau. of Isaac, m. Jacob Van Sickle. Our Sarah Van Etten was but 14 yrs. old at that time.

Page 46, no. 31. i. Sarah m. Joseph Kittle. Their ch. were bp. at Clove Dutch Ref. Ch. Minisink, as follows:

1. Catharine b. May 15, bp. Nov. 20, 1791.
2. Levi b. Mar. 17, bp. Aug. 7, 1796.

iii. Petrus m. Margrietie Brink, and their ch. bp. Clove and Minisink Churches were:

1. Derick bp. May 6, 1785.
2. Samuel bp. Sept. 18, 1785.
3. John b. June 25, 1786 bp. 1787.
4. Simon, b. Dec. 2, 1789.
5. Leah b. May 2, bp. Nov. 20, 1791.
6. Sarah b. Jan. 11, 1794 bp. May 18, 1794.
7. Peter b. Nov. 12, 179 - bp. Feb. 28, 1796.

Page 48, no. 36. Additions sent in by Elizabeth Walters. i. Diana, add Children:

1. Jemima b. Sept. 28, 1790, d. Oct. 19, 1876 m. Jacobus Cole of Montague, N. J.
2. Hester (Esther).

3. Sarah b. June 8, 1800 m. Simeon Westfall of Pike Co. Pa.
4. Jemima b. Oct. 30, 1805 m. Jacob Cuddeback..
5. Naomi b. Feb. 17, 1804 bp. Apr. 8, d. y.
6. Jakementje (Jacob) b. Oct. 30, 1805 bp. Aug. 15, 1807 m. Elizabeth Van Auken; res. Cayuga, N. Y.
7. Joseph b. Apr. 22, bp. Aug. 12, 1812 m. 1st. Elizabeth Decker b. 1822.
8. Naomi b. Aug. 31, 1813 bp. Aug. 15, 1813.
9. Abram b. Jan. 30, bp. June 5, 1808. Ref. N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Coll. Vol. 5 and Mr. Coulter.

Page 49, vii. Jane First line. Vol. 5 N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Rec. states that Jane m. Shadrack Van Nimwegen and ch. were Anthony Jan. 11, 1809, bp. June 4.

Page 52, 1. Ferdenandus Van Etten. The hist. of Sullivan Co. N. Y. pub. 1873 by James B. Quinlan p. 443 (town of Mamekating) "Sarah Westbrook, dau. of Dirck Van Kueren, m. Ferdinand V. E. who settled in the state of Ky. Mrs. V. E. rode on horseback from Ky. to Westbrookville, taking with her a babe only three weeks old."

Page 56, line 10. Under Alexander and Catherine (Quick) Van Etten - "one dau. m. and moved to Mich" - that dau. was Phoebe Van Etten, b. (Feb. 22?) 1824 in Sussex County, N. J. dau. of Alexander and Catherine (Quick) Van Etten; m. (1) (Abraham) Bray Ayers, son of Israel Ayers, Aug. 19, 1842 by John D. Everett, Esq., J. of P., Montague, Sussex Co. Bray Ayers d. Sept. 1847, and their three children died within the week. They are buried at Layton. Phoebe m. (2) James Gordon Boswell, Aug. 6, 1849, by Rev. Robert S. Harris of Layton. The family came to Michigan (1855 - 1860) and James enlisted in the Civil War at Buchanan in 1861. He d. June 7, 1874 and is buried in the N. Eagle Cemetery, Eagle, Mich. Phoebe d. Aug. 30, 1888 at Luther, Mich., and is buried there. Children; John and Leslie.

1. John, b. May 10, 1850, probably in Pike Co., Pa., d. May 1925 at Manistee and is buried there; unm.

2. Leslie, b. Oct. 9, 1851, Port Jervis, N. Y., m. Martha Kuntz [Beck]*, May 19, 1869, Manistee, Mich., d. Sept. 24, 1924. Grand Rapids, Mich. Children:

- I. Evalyn, b. Oct. 6, 1869, Ionia Co., Mich.; m. Dec. 24, 1885 to Henry Dietz at Luther, Mich. He was s. of August and Caroline (King) Dietz, and was b. Apr. 16, 1860. Evalyn d. Dec. 29, 1947 at Manistee. Children:
- a. Gertrude Emma, b. Apr. 17, 1887, Brown Twp., Manistee Co., Mich.; m. June 28, 1908 to Hans O. Loken, b. Jan. 15, 1878, s. of Hans and Maren (Halgrimson) Loken, Houston, Minn. Res. Fountain, Mich.
- A. Maren Gertrude, b. Nov. 4, 1909, Fountain; m. Dec. 1, 1930 to (Herbert) Carlos La Guire, b. Dec. 11, 1907, Honor, Mich., s. of Herbert and Anna (Amidon) LaGuire. Maren rec'd her A. B. from Western Michigan College of Education in 1932 and taught 5 yr. Res. Wyandotte, Mich. where Carlos is Dir. of Industrial Relations for the Wyandotte branch of Penn Salt (chemicals). Children:
1. Gaye Lynne, b. June 29, 1938, Petoskey, Mich.
 2. Gary Lane, b. Nov. 10, 1940, Petosky, Mich.
- B. Lt. Col. Leslie Boswell, b. Mar. 13, 1912, Brown Twp., Manistee Co.; m. Gladys Martha Bejgrowicz at Stamford, Conn. She was b. Oct. 25, 1918, Stamford. Res. Colma, Calif., but at present he is on Gen McArthur's staff in Japan. Children:
1. Judith Elaine, b. Nov. 1, 1938, Governor's Is. N. Y.

*Martha Kuntz (Beck). Her father's name was Beck but he assumed the name Kuntz when he ran away from his home in Germany and came to America. His sons legally changed their names back to Beck but Martha Kuntz never did.

2. Joyce Lynne, b. Oct. 15, 1939, Syracuse, N. Y.
3. Joan Dolores, b. Sept. 21, 1941, Syracuse, N. Y.
4. Jon Boswell, b. Feb. 22, 1948, Pittsburg, Calif.
5. James Boswell, b. Feb. 25, 1949, Pittsburg, Calif.
6. Janice Marie, b. Sept. 24, 1950, San Francisco, Calif.
- C. M/Sgt. Spencer Clay, b. Oct. 4, 1915, Fountain. Res. Rochester, N. Y. Warrant Officer, World War II.
- D. Osmond Wayne, b. June 29, 1919; d. at 13 mo.
- E. Marva Mae, b. Apr. 25, 1923, Fountain; m. Nov. 13, 1943 at Dearborn, Mich., William Sinclair b. Mar. 15, 1914, s. of Daniel Barr and Jeannie (Johnston) Sinclair. Marva Mae was a W.A.C. in World War II, and is now a P.F.C. in the Reserve W.A.C.'s. William is an engineer. Res. Concord, Calif. Children:
 1. Danial Barr, b. July 29, 1945, Selfridge Field, Mich.
 2. Andrea Dee, b. Mar. 30, 1947, Dearborn, Mich.
 3. Richard Wm. b. Dec. 13, 1948, Dearborn, Mich.
- b. Walter Leslie, b. Apr. 4, 1889, Brown Twp., Manistee Co.; m. Elsie Martha Poch, Oct. 29, 1919 in Grand Rapids. She was b. Feb. 10, 1889 in Manistee, dau. of John Ernest and Friedricka (Lueben) Poch. Walter d. Apr. 14, 1931. Res. Manistee Co. Farmer. Children:
 - A. Lyal Warren, b. July 14, 1921
 - B. Leonard Allan, b. Nov. 18, 1922; m. Aug. 19, 1950, Maume, Ohio to Betty Jane Jordan, dau. of Joseph Grant and Edna Helen (Chamberlain) Jordan. Leonard was a First Lt., Air Corps, World War II. Graduate physicist with M. A. from the U. of Mich. Now with

General Electric in Schenectady, N. Y.
His wife teaches.

- c. Ethyl Blanche, b. Dec. 2, 1890, Brown Twp., Manistee Co.; graduate nurse of the U. of Mich. Hospital in 1917; m. Sept. 4, 1920, Lansing, Mich., to Judson Stearns Connell who was b. Aug. 22, 1890 at Joliet, Ill., s. of Louis W. and Lulu (Stearns) Connell. He is a C.P.A. Res. Minneapolis, Minn. Children:

A. Richard Judson, b. June 20, 1922, Cleveland, Ohio, m. Dec. 27, 1946 at Fairmont, Minn. to Helen Frances Hay, b. June 27, 1922 at Minneapolis, Minn, dau. of Vincent and Edice (Bassett) Hay. P. F. C. in World War II. Ph.D. from Laval U., Quebec, Canada, Nov. 1950, summa cum laude. Teaches philosophy at Wilkes-Barre, Pa. Children:

1. Therese Louise, b. Nov. 29, 1947, Quebec, P. I., Canada
2. Thomas Joseph, b. May 16, 1949, Quebec, P. I., Canada

B. Howard Bruce, b. Sept. 5, 1924, Minneapolis, Minn.; B. A. from Carleton College, June 1946; B. D. from Seabury Western Theological Seminary, June ordained in the Protestant Episcopal Church, Oct. 2, 1948 at Minnetonka Beach, Minn. At present curate to Fr. Duncan, Washington, D. C.

d. Irma b. Jan. 24, 1893; practical nurse; unm.

e. (Carl) Edgar, b. May 28, 1899; grad. from Concordia College, Fort Wayne, Ind., 1919; m. June 15, 1923 in Detroit, Mich. to Adelia Emily Braun, b. Macomb Co., Mich., dau. of John and Anna Barbara (Foerster) Braun. Edgar is Sec. - Treas. of Bordens in Detroit. Child: Robert Edward, b. Oct. 15, 1924, Detroit, Mich. M/Sgt. in World War II; now student at U. of Detroit.

II. Leslie, b. May 13, 1871; d. June 6, 1871; buried, Eagle.

- III. James Gordon, b. Aug. 10, 1872, Damby Twp., Ionia Co., Mich.; m. Sept. 6, 1901, Tacoma, Wash., to Fay Adams, b. Oct. 31, 1882, Aurora, Ark., dau. of Dr. Martin Luther and Sina (Weaver) Adams. James was a marine engineer. He d. 1934. Res. Seattle. Child: Barbara Adams, b. Oct. 23, 1906, Chicago, Ill.; m. (2) Frankie Masters; (3) Charles C. Anderson. Res. Seattle, Wash.
- IV. Gertrude b. Mar. 17, 1874; m. July 13, 1898, Manistee, Mich. to August N. Johnson.
Children:
- a. (Evalyn) Hester, b. Jan. 25, 1901, Manistee; m. (1) Spencer Horner, Aug. 29, 1923, Manistee; widowed; m. (2) Russell Chapman. She has an A. B. from Rockford College and an M. A. from the U. of Chicago in Social Science Administration; now a case worker for the Ill. Children's Home and Aid. Res. Rockford, Ill. Child: John, b. July 16, 1925, Flint, Mich.; A. B. from Swarthmore College; industrial engineer; m. Jane Morfoot, Aug. 28, 1948, Toledo, Ohio. John was adopted by his stepfather and took the surname Chapman. Child: John Russell Horner; b. Nov. 3, 1949, Rockford, Ill.
- b. James Ware, b. Jan. 20, 1918; adopted; now working on M. A. in Education at Mich. State College; m. Marjorie Vincent of Manistee; m. Dec. 16, 1948 at East Lansing to Margaret Baldwin Wolters b. May 24, 1921 Manistee, Mich., dau. of Ray and Margaret Wolters.
- V. Freda A., accountant; res. Lansing, Mich.
- VI. Adeline Leslie, b. Apr. 12, 1885; Osteopath physician; d. Aug. 5, 1927, Manistee, Mich.
- VII. Stacy Clay, b. Aug. 16, 1890, Manistee; m. Jan. 19, 1932, Detroit, Mich., (Catherine) Madeline Vannatta, R.N.; World War I, disabled. No issue.

Page 67, under no. 54. Additions. viii. Margaret Van Etten Children: COLE.

1. Sarah b. Mar. 7, 1842 m. John Van Etten b. 1832 (s. of Daniel Ennis and Lucinde (Van Gorden) V.E.
2. Susan Ann m. Electus Shimer (br. of Geo. Albert who m. Mary V. Etten, dau. of Daniel E. and Lucinda.
3. Aramantha m. John Swartout.
4. Elizabeth m. Brittain Westbrook.

Page 68, no. 57. James Stark died in 1859.

Page 79, under no. 83 ii. James Van Etten's first wife's name was Mattie Peck, (as reported by Florence Chase of Chi.) James had an older dau. Isabel White who m. a Durfe in Kankakee, Ill., where she was principal for years of a grade school. They lived in Port Huron, N.Y. near Weedsport and great uncle Jim was a miller there. Isabel died of cancer. At the Tuley High School in Chicago, where I taught short hand and typing for 22 years, there was a very nice looking bachelor named Joseph Sweet. He was brought up in Port Byron and remembered seeing uncle Jim at the door of his flour mill with chaff all over his coat - and he knew Isabel. Uncle Jim once visited my father here in Chi. and wore a coonskin cap. He was genial and mother said the only room they could put him in was up in the attic of their cottage (mother and father were beginning house-keeping) and she apologized because it contained a barrel of apples. Uncle Jim said, next morning, that she needn't have apologized for he slept fine - it smelled like the garden of Eden.

Page 80, no. 88 v. Amos. Line 8 should read Joseph Herbert not Bubert.

Page 81, no. 72. William Perfect died in 1882.

Page 86, line 11. Maria Davis not David. Line 12, Laurel Grove Cem. not Green.

Page 86, 107 ii. John. Sarah Jane Cole b. Mar. 7, 1842; d. Jan. 15, 1924 both are bur. Delaware Cem. Dingman's Ferry, Pike Co. Pa. ch. from recollection of Mrs. Samuel Snearley.

1. Henry b. 7 Dec. 1867 m. 1st Susie Kermick. No issue.

2. Daniel b. 24 Mar. 1876 m. Nettie Lattimore, res. in Sussex, N. J. (a) Frances, a teacher in the N. J. schools.
3. Hattie b. 8 Jan. 1880 m. Samuel Snearley, res. Dingman's Ferry. (a) Paul, unm. res. Dingman's Ferry.
4. John b. 1883 m. 1st. Elizabeth Albright, and had two ch.; m. 2nd. ... and had 4 or 5 ch.

Page 89, Seventh Generation. i. Rev. Edwin Jan Van Etten. A letter dated June 26th 1950 from Rev. Van Etten to the compiler states, "you quote at some length from an article written by my cousin, Lila Van Etten Huddy. When she was writing this article, I was able to be of some help, because I had the chance several times to visit the little town of Etten and learn certain things there. Up to that time, none of us had any record of the family prior to the days when Jacob Jansen came to America. I was able to trace it back a generation or two farther from the church records in Etten. That is where the fact comes which you record at the bottom of page one and the top of page two. In the same way, I think I must plead guilty to being the one who brought back the coat-of-arms which you print on page xviii. That is the coat-of-arms of the village of Etten and stands to this day over the entrance to the Town House." (the compiler is happy to have been enlightened as to the source of the Van Etten records and coat-of-arms. E. A. S.)

Page 92, line 4. also add a dau. b. in 1949 called Susan Beth to parents George Willis and Dorothy Stuart. They now reside in N. Hollywood, Cal., where he is a designing engineer with the Lockheed Air Craft Co. of Burbank. Robert Joseph Stuart now resides in Plymouth, Mass.

Page 96, correction under iii. Eulalie Dora. line 4 strike out "Whose" and insert and an infant dau. called Hope Joan, born to Eulalie and Samuel. Samuel W. Ramsay died at Angola, Ind. 12-22-1935. Their dau. Dorothy Eudora m. Conn H. S. Smith, atty., res. Angola, Ind. They have a son born Feb. 5, 1934 named Stanley Samuel.

- Page 102, no. 107 iii. Daniel V. Brodhead. Lulu's children VAN CAMPEN. Kenneth m. 1st Clara Downs, no issue. Mildred m. Walter Ford not Fond, and had two sons named David and John.
- Page 105, no. 113 iii. Helen Van Etten Chase passed away on Feb. 3, 1950, Chi. Ill. Mrs. Marvin S. Chase, her mother, passed away Aug. 2, 1946.
- Page 109, no. 116 Effie Hadassah Church passed away Nov. 30, 1950. Buried Palmyra West Cem. no. 118. Alexander F. Scott. Rosa Bell Lewis was the dau. of William and Louisa (Orr) Lewis of Portage Co. O. She died at her home in Youngstown, of carcinoma, Sept. 6, 1928 and is buried at Palmyra.
- Page 111, omission. no. 120. i. Brieta Bobo (no. 130a) m. Oct. 16, 1903 to Burt Tompkins Stanton, (b. at Old Mission, Michigan, July 13, 1874). Children:
1. John B. Stanton, b. at Philadelphia, Oct. 12, 1904. m. April 22, 1939 to Florence Katherine Lynch, (b. March 9, 1906 at Chi. Ill.). Children: None.
 2. Ella Florence Stanton, b. June 28, 1908 at Chi. Ill. m. Nov. 24, 1934 to Stanley H. Dicken (b. Feb. 8, 1911 at Roswell, New Mexico). Children:
 - i. John Stanley Dicken, b. May 19, 1937.
 - ii. David Williams Dicken, b. Mar. 15, 1941.
 - iii. Laurretta Louise Dicken, b. Oct. 21, 1945.
 3. Elizabeth Parmlee Stanton, b. Feb. 3, 1912 at Chi. Ill. m. May 25, 1934 to Harold Armstrong Sanders, (b. Oct. 4, 1911 at Brooklyn, N. Y.). Children:
 - i. Harold Armstrong Sanders III, b. Jan. 23, 1935.
 - ii. Stanton Samuel Sanders, b. Oct. 2, 1937.
 - iii. Elizabeth Ann Sanders, b. June 10, 1940.
 4. Laurretta Mowen Stanton, b. Oct. 9, 1913 at Chi. Ill. m. May 4, 1935 to Calvin William Clark, (b. April 9, 1914 at Los Angeles, Cal.) Children:
 - i. Calvin William Clark, Jr., b. Aug. 19, 1939.
 - ii. Stephen Everett Clark, b. Dec. 16, 1944.
- Page 112, no. 122, line 5 should read Sadie Reed not Reid.

- Page 113, line 10. "a dau." was omitted before Terry Lee Holmes.
- Page 117, i. Church, Herman. A third son b. 8-2-1950 called Robert Gerald. iii. Ardis Bell Church m. 9-22-1950, William J. Smith of Bull Run, Pa. Res. Dayton, Ohio.
- Page 118, no. 131 Albert Henry Van Etten, at the time of his death, was the newly-elected Executive Secretary for the South China Mission of the Presbyterian Board. As one missionary wrote, "We bestowed upon him the highest honor we had to give."
- Page 121, Misc. additional. line 4. April 17, 1794 - James Vannetter of Kingwood Twp., Hunterdon Co.; wife Mary, receive plantation.; Until dau. Sarah is of age. dau. Sarah to receive plantation devised from her uncle John Barkeloo.
- Page 122, ADDITIONS N. J. Archives-1st. ser-Vol 37, Abs. of Wills-Vol 8(1791 - 95) p 371 Dec. 9. 1786 - Van Etta, Johannes Sr. of Sussex Co.; will of; wife Jinne,--should son John return after decease of my wife he shall receive 1 100, if not it shall go to his 5 ch. by his 1st. wife; dau, Sarah, wife of Joseph Mapes; son in law Samuel Morden; to ch. of son in law Samuel Morden: exec - Brother Thomas Van Ette and son in law Samuel Morden; dau. Cornelia, Mary, Ann Proved May 23, 1791-File 5118.
Find no bro. Thomas. See p. 9, iv. Johannes and p. 11. Johannes Van Etta Sr. of Sussex Co. d. 1791 m. Jane (Jinne) Morden, widow of James.
Children:
John m. (1) had 5 children
(2)
Dau m. Samuel Morden
(a) James mentioned in Johannes' will of 1786
(b) John
Sarah m. Joseph Mapes
Cornelia
Mary
Ann

Page 125, line 3 should read "see Hist." Not Soc.

Page 128, Mary Brink. William Raymond Brink writes to the compiler, in Sept. 1950, that this Mary was the dau. of Jacob³, Cornelius², Lambert Huybertsen¹, she m. 9 Oct. 1762 Peter Oosterhout. Her son Wilhelm was bp. 2 Feb. 1773 and John Van Etten son of our Mary Brink was born in April 1773 so it certainly is not the same Mary. Some of the Minisink Ref. Dutch Ch. records were destroyed by fire which consumed the home of a man by the name of Smith and the Sussex Co. N. J. court house located at that time near the Minisink region burned about 1880. Therefore I doubt if the parentage of Mary Brink Van Etten will ever be found as we believe her to have been of the N. J. Brink's.

Page 138, Children listed under 2(a) Hendrick Decker, no. v. Johannes and no. xi Hishia should be omitted as they were the ch. of Hendrick Decker b. 1697, son of Jacob.

Page 139, under "reference" credit should also be given to Elizabeth Walters (Mrs H. G.) for the Decker data.

Page 140, Gustertse should read Gysbertse.

Page 142, under "genealogies" - Pershall should read Parshall.

156 index, Reddick, Iva not Ira.

OLD CEMETERY RECORDS OF SUSSEX CO.

N. J. (Dennis Library, Newton, N. J.)

V-1-P 72-Hainesville Cem.-Catharine Van Etta, wife of Samuel Bugsbee, d. Nov. 21, 1888-86y-2m-3d.

P-99-Layton Cem-John Vannoten d. Aug. 1, 1863-71y- Catharine, Ennis, (E. D. W.), wife of John Vanotten d. June 12, 1879-88y.

P-111-Montague Cem-Eliza V. Vanetta d. Mar. 11, 1848-28y-7m-23d-Jeptha C. Vanetten d. Mar. 15, 1862-45y.

P-67-Gumear Cem (Sandyston Twp) - Elizabeth, wife of Thomas Van Etten d. Jan. 30, 1861-93y-19d-Jonathan D. (s. of Thos. and Eliz. V. Etta) d. Feb. 4, 1861-53y 9m-11d.

P-60-Frankford Plains Cem-Elizabeth, wife of Joseph Van Atta and dau. of Isaac and Sarah Court-d. May 20, 1806-23y.

Vol 4-P 21-Walpack Cem-Susie Van Etten, wife of Wm. b. May 23, 1867-d. Feb. 17, 1905.

Minn. and N. Y. Van Ettens.

Mar. 16, 1909-Mark Van Etten of nr. Finchville, N. Y.-d- ae 78y-b. Black Rock 2 miles East of Port Jervis-son of Hon. and Mrs. Thomas Van Etten-m-Mary Jane Cuddeback of Deerpark; 3 daughters, Mrs. Grace Carry, Mrs. Maggie Niles of Finchville and Mrs. Katie Smith of Vail, N. J., 1 son Clement C. Van Etten of Finchville and 1 brother Thomas and 3 sisters, Sarah Van Etten of Cedarville, Ohio, Mrs. Cornelia Gardner of nr. Middletown, N. Y. and Mrs. Ann Morrison of Matamoras; bd. Laurel Grove Cem. Port Jervis, N. Y.

Capt. Thomas V. Etten (br. of Mark E. D. W.) of Sauk Rapids, Minnesota d Nov. 27 (?) 1913, came there 1882 and was b. Sept. 20, 1836 in Port Jervis-s. of Thos. V. Etten; took up land with his brother Isaac V. Etten in Minnesota; served in Civil War-m-Georgianna Hughes moved to Bismarck, N. D. in 1882 and came to Sauk Rapids law office there; m (2) 1885 Tillie Kreuger-10ch; Mrs. Geo. S. Parker, Mrs. C. W. Wood, Kittie V. Etten of Wash. Minn., Merlin V. Etten of Duluth, Hughes V. Etten of International Falls, William V. Eten of Nebraska, Otto Van Etten of Chester, Pa., George Van Etten of St. Vincent, N. D., Elsie and Jane Van Etten of Sauk Rapids, Minnesota.

Cemetery in town of Woodstock, N. Y.

Van Etten, Jacobus Aug. 18 1750-Mar. 21, 1812

Annatie, his wife, Oct. 13, 1759-Dec. 14, 1839

Van Etten, Gysbert d. Aug. 29, 1807 ae 85, 9, 10

BRITT, William d. Oct. 15, 1820 ae 59 3, 28

Van Etten, Catherine, his wife, d. Feb. 7, 1843 ae 73

Benjamin, their son, d. Apr. 20, 1832 ae 29 yrs.

Van Etten, Gerieli Zetham Sept. 2, 1808-Feb. 21, 1842

two unmarked field stones

Van Etten, Jacobus G. Apr. 17, 1766-Jan. 4, 1839
 Van Etten, Leah, his wife, June 2, 1851 aged 90,
 1, 21.
 Van Etten, Gilbert Nov. 26, 1789 d. Oct. 17, 1870
 Van Etten, Maria Myers, his wife, d. Aug. 13, 1889
 ae 91, 8, 27
 Myers, Ann Van Etten wife of Peter O. d. Oct. 18,
 1842 ae 26, 1, 9
 Rouw, Wilhelmus Mar. 29, 1755-June 19, 1803
 Rouw, Catherine Van Etten, his wife, May 4, 1832
 ae 75, 4, 16
 Rouw, Frederick b. 1-31-1779; d. 1835-Mar. 13
 Rouw, Maria b. 12-26-1789 d. Oct. 1791
 Van Etten, Maria, dau. of John P. and Mahala d.
 Oct. 25, 1852 ae 17, 1, 20

Lowther Farm Cemetery, Mt. Marion, N. Y.

Van Etten, Christina d. Sept. 1808 ae 80 yrs.

Van Etten, A.P. d. 6-18-1801 ae 80 yrs. 10, 6

Van Etten, Jonas d. 12-15-1877 ae 84, 7, 27

Van Etten, Maria DeWitt, his wife, d. 8-13-1877 ae
 85, 7, 18

Van Etten, John A. d. 9-19-1855 ae 31, 4, 2

Van Etten, Levi d. 11-30-1846 ae 51, 9, 22.

1820 census Macomb Co. Mich. - 1825 voter - was
 Joseph Van Etten source - Detroit Society for gen-
 ealogical research June, 1950.

Not identified.

John Van Etten Jr. m. Mariah Rosencrans. Chil-
 dren bp. Walpack D. Ref. Ch. Rec (V5 N. Y. Gen
 and Biog. Coll.

P-67-Solomon b. Nov. 7, 1812, bp. Apr. 11, 1813.

P-69-Anthony b. Sept. 22, 1814, bp. June 11, 1815.

P-74- Mariah b. Oct. 24, 1816, bp. July 5, 1818.

P-76-Lanah b. Nov. 27, 1818, bp. June 22, 1819.

P-81-David b. Nov. 20. 1820, bp. May 12, 1822.

P-83-Simeon b. Mar. 20, 1823, bp. Nov. 30, 1823.

J. S. VANATTA, farmer, P. O. Marysville, was
 born in New Jersey, Oct. 7, 1827 son of Elias and
 Nancy Vanatta, who were both natives of N. J., the
 former born in Mar. 1803. J. S. was very young
 when his mother died, and after her death his
 father married Elizabeth Huffman, also a native
 of N. J. They are both living. (1883) J. S. mar-

ried Apr. 15, 1869, Diantha Rosencrantz, who d.
Dec. 27, 1878. He next married Jane E. Atherton,
who was born in Licking Co. Ohio, Aug. 26, 1883.
They were married Oct. 27, 1880. Members of the
methodist church. (from the Hist. of Union Co.
Ohio by W. H. Beers and Co. Chi. 1883. p. 692.)

Page 74, Last line. Annie C. b. 1812 not 1817.

1704

